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## Miss Irma Kenney In Musical Program At Gulf Park

On Wednesday, December 11 the Gulf Park College Music Department presented its students in a recital of classic music in the college Auditorium. Appearing on the program among the six piano numbers was Miss Irma Kenney daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kenney of this city.

Miss Kenney, a graduate of St. Josephs Academy, class of '46 has shown marked talent in music. Miss Kenney played Mozart's Sonata in F Major.

—Mrs. Ed Kimmel has returned from a week's stay in New Orleans where she went to be with her mother Mrs. Ella Hatchfield, on her 83rd birthday. A reception was held for Mrs. Hatchfield at her home and a large number of friends called during the evening to offer congratulations to the honoree. There was the usual birthday cake and gifts for Mrs. Hatchfield and a very happy time was spent.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Benton of Alexandria City, Alabama, are visiting their son-in-law and daughter Dr. and Mrs. Leo D. Johnson, turned from Birmingham, Ala.

—Mrs. A. G. Favre, Jr., has returned from a week's stay in New Orleans where she spent the week end with Staff Sergeant A. G. Favre, Mrs. Favre took in the Flea-Fly game.

—Mrs. E. J. Arceneaux, Jr., and baby Donelle have arrived home from New Orleans. Mr. and Mrs. Arceneaux are located in the Stevenson Apartment.

—Mrs. E. S. Singreen has returned from a week's stay in New Orleans. Mrs. Singreen will be at her home here for a short stay and will then return to New Orleans for the holidays.

—Mrs. Cecile Eaton and Mrs. Emmett Anderson of Sumrall were guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith last week.

—Mr. Michael Egan has returned from Washington where he has been on a business trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Voight of New Orleans were guests here last week of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith, Jr.

—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schupp of New Orleans are guests of the latter's sister Mrs. Ella Maybin.

—Mrs. Richard Koch, Jr., is recovering from a major operation which she underwent at the Lakeshore hospital, New Orleans, last week. Mrs. Koch is the former Miss Lois Ansley of this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nolan C. Davis and daughter of New Orleans spent Sunday here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McCulloch.

—A. E. Voight will leave on Christmas day by plane for Havana for a short stay. Mr. Voight has not revealed the real nature of the trip but indicates it is purely business. Of course Havana is ideal for other than business but we leave that up to Al.

J. Townsend Wolfe returned by way of the Humming Bird from Atlanta where he went by Eastern Airline for a day's business for the Maryland Casualty Insurance Co.

—Miss Betty Lee Mitchell has arrived home to spend the holidays here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mitchell and her brother Bobby. Miss Mitchell has been appearing on the legitimate stage and has done some modeling. Her many friends are glad to have her home even though her stay will be brief.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Benham announce the birth of a daughter on Sunday December 15, at the Kings Daughters Hospital.

—Midshipman Roger M. Boh will arrive Sunday from Annapolis to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Roger M. Boh, Sr.

—Mayor and Mrs. G. Y. Blaize have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. G. Y. Blaize, Jr., and two children of Dallas, Texas.

—Miss Elizabeth Wahl of New Orleans, spent Sunday here as a guest of Misses Sallie Pearson and Adele Seyle.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hunt of Newton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Allison last week end.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stone and daughter Patty leave Bay St. Louis Saturday for Tremont to spend the holidays with Mr. Stone's father.

—Mrs. E. E. Hannah left Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays in Jackson and Clinton.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cassidy plan to leave Bay St. Louis Friday afternoon for Pittsburgh, Pa., to spend the holiday season with their daughter Mrs. Ralph Kollock.

## Little Theater Presents Minstrel

The Bay St. Louis Little Theater closed its first season this week with the presentation on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights of John Bell's "Minstrel Follies of 1946" in which a large number of Little Theater members took part. The program was varied and hilarious, on each night delighting the audience with the real talent it brought to light. One of the chief surprises was the stage setting, which would have done credit to any professional stage, and which created just the right background for the musical blackface program. Surprising also was the variety of song and dance numbers, all done with professional skill and stage-presence.

Those taking part in the program were as follows: In the first scene, "Shadows of Beale Street" introduced by Ed Larroux, were Howard Lettissier, John Bell, and Gloria Biehl. In the second scene, "Fish Salesmen," were Arthur Scafide and Ed Larroux. Act two, consisting of "Minstrel Bits" written by John Bell, were Dr. J. A. Evans as the interlocutor, Arthur Scafide and Dennis Tonkel as end men, and as minstrels Misses Amelia Manieri, Gloria Biehl, Mary Frances Scafide, Margaret Cook, and Jane Murphy. Mrs. Dan Russell and Ed Larroux, Jason Floyd, Howard Lettissier, Ed Ireland, Donald Cole, and John Bell. The final act consisted of specialty numbers which left the audience singing too: "Buttermilk Sky" and "Ole Mani Mose" by Dennis Tonkel, who for several years played the drums and song specialty numbers with the orchestra of Guy Lombardo, George Hall, and Johnny Hamp; "Who Threw the Whiskey in the Well?" sung by Ed Larroux and the chorus; and "St. James Infirmary" by Ed Larroux; "Girl of My Dreams" sung in a true Sinatra manner by Ed Ireland; "Lazy Bones," sung by Donald Cole and spoken in swing-time by Dennis Tonkel; a quartet number by Ed Larroux, Dennis Tonkel, Ed Ireland and Donald Cole, and two delightful song and dance numbers, "The House of Blue Lights" by Amelia Manieri and Mary Frances Scafide, and "Dark Town Strutters' Ball" by Dot Russell and Amelia Manieri. Mrs. J. B. Goldman and Mrs. Mat Rhodes accompanied the musical numbers on the piano.

Special credit is due to Mr. Frank Clark and Mr. Roland Tallac who designed and painted the effective stage sets, and to Mr. John Bell who wrote all the words of the program and directed the production.

The 1947 season will open in February when the Little Theater presents "Angel Street." The new membership drive is now on and membership fees may be sent to Mr. J. R. Shadoin, treasurer.

—Spending the day in New Orleans last Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitfield and Bill and Mrs. C. C. Stone and Patty.

—Mr. J. R. Shadoin was called to Birmingham last Thursday because of the serious illness of his mother. Mrs. Shadoin is being given frequent blood transfusions to save her life and Dick's many friends in Bay St. Louis are wishing for her a quick recovery.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Schaeffer of New Orleans were week end guests in the home of Mrs. Schaeffer's mother Mrs. Josie Olson.

—Mrs. Jos. Folse of Jackson spent the week with his wife and son Ronnie. Mrs. Folse and Ronnie are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Davis for the Christmas holidays.

—Dr. and Mrs. William Matthews and son Billy Boy are now located in their recently completed home in Metairie, New Orleans, La. Mrs. Matthews was before her marriage Miss Beverly Davis.

—Chief Warrent Officer and Mrs. W. L. Higgins and two daughters, Carol Ann and Barbara Ellen, returned to their home at Barksdale Field, La., after a week's stay with Mrs. Higgins' parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Capdepon.

—S. J. Ingram is on the sick list this week. His many friends hope he will soon be out.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shaw, nee Miss Fay Ladner, are the proud parents of a son, Jerry Keith. The young man arrived at the Kings Daughters Hospital on Monday, December 16, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Shaw have accepted the role of grandparents very gracefully, but Mrs. Shaw is anxious to impress on the fact she is unusually young for a grandma. Johnson thinks his youth is evident. Congratulations are extended to both parents and grandparents.

## Mrs. William McCraney Guest Speaker of Bay Waveland Garden Club

Mrs. William McCraney was guest speaker at the Bay-Waveland Garden Club at the December meeting held in the home of the president Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab, on Tuesday, December 12.

Mrs. McCraney talked on flower arrangement for a Christmas dinner table and demonstrated an oblong arrangement done in white, the composite parts being painted white. She used the leaves of the sanseveria plant, magnolia leaves and magnolia seeds on the stem, the spikes and seed of the date palm, pomgranite fruit, water lily pods and legustrum berries. The design rested on an oblong mirror.

Mrs. McCraney demonstrated the silvered designs one of which was made up of clusters of legustrum branches with the seed, wild flowers, the leaves of the sanseveria all arranged in a container. She also explained and demonstrated the making of wreaths and garlands.

Preceding the talk Mrs. McCraney was guest of honor at a luncheon with the president, the executive board, members of the club and several guests. Attending besides Mrs. McCraney were Mrs. Smith of New Orleans; Mesdames Eugene Mogabgab, H. A. Oxenham, Newel Erwin, L. H. Fairchild, A. C. Exnicios, J. R. Schaff, A. D. Drescher, H. M. Keefe, H. C. Glover, C. R. Beyer, L. T. Boyd, George Stevenson, Max Kohler, Leo W. Seal, H. L. Kergosien, Ernest Drackett, New Orleans; Oliver Radford, Shelby Tucker, J. R. Curran, Claude Hooton, Ben Hille, G. H. Williams, Edmund Fahey, Jr., J. T. Tognotti, Roy Baxter, Sr., and Miss Josie Miller and Miss May H. Edwards.

At the business session of the club a vote was taken to join in the garden pilgrimage of the Coast Garden Club on April 21, 22 and 23.

Guests of the club were Mrs. W. L. Reeder, Mrs. H. M. Keefe, Mrs. H. L. Kergosien, Mrs. Newel Erwin and Mrs. Ernest Drackett.

Refreshments were served during the social hour by the hostesses Mrs. Claude Hooton Mrs. E. F. Fahey, Jr., Mrs. Ben Hille and Miss May H. Edwards.

## SANTA CLAUS WILL BE AT WILMER'S GROCERY MONDAY NIGHT 6 TO 7 O'CLOCK

On Monday night, December 23rd between the hours of 6 and 7 P. M. Santa Claus will be at Wilmer's Grocery and Market to pass out toys to the children who accompanied by their parents or a grown up visit the store between the hours mentioned above.

Mr. Thibeaux, the owner of Wilmer's Grocery & Market says that it is their plan to see that every child is taken care of, who pays them a visit.

## BROTHER PETER'S CHRISTMAS TREE TO BE HELD DEC. 23RD

One of the outstanding events of the Christmas season, for a great number of years, in Bay St. Louis, has been Brother Peter's Christmas Tree.

It has been known as Brother Peter's Christmas Tree since its inception. It was he who started the great work of giving to the underprivileged children of our community the opportunity of receiving some worth while gift during the Christmas season.

Even during the time that Brother Peter was away from Stanislaus, the Christmas Tree celebration always carried his name.

This year the Christmas Tree celebration will be held on Monday, December 23rd, from 1:30 P. M. to 3:30 P. M. for the white children and from 3:30 P. M. till will be for the colored children.

The money to cover the expenses of the Tree is received from donations and from the Annual Flea and Fly Football game.

How Happy these youngsters who participate in this annual game must be when they know that thru their efforts and the thoughtfulness of their Superior, hundreds of children who probably would not have received a gift from Santa at Christmas, are made happy.

No tickets are being issued this year. An invitation is extended to all.

## Week of Prayer Observed At Baptist Church

The Week of Prayer was observed at the First Baptist Church on Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. H. B. Duckworth program chairman, led the program on Thursday and Mrs. C. G. Showers gave a very inspiring talk on Japan. Mrs. Michael Nicaise read excerpts from letters from Missionaries and G.I's.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. J. C. Poole, on a furlough from her work as a missionary in Algeria, gave a splendid talk on the work there. Her husband is head of the seminary which they founded and he is editor of the Commission, a Baptist publication.

Mrs. W. C. Losch sang as a solo "The Kings Business" and Mrs. John T. Dearing talked on the great need of Missionaries in Algeria.

## Episcopal Sunday School To Have Christmas Tree

On Friday evening, December 20 the Sunday School of Christ Episcopal Church will have its annual Christmas Tree in the Parish House. The pageant "The Christmas Story" will be put on by the younger children and the junior class will sing, "We Three Kings of Orient," "Adeste Fideles," "Silent Night" and "Away in a Manger."

The public is invited to all of these services.

## Christmas Services And Program at Baptist Church

On Friday December 20 the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church will under the direction of Mrs. Earl Ramond have in the church its annual Christmas tree. Old Santa will be on hand and gifts, fruit, candy will be distributed to the smaller children. Gifts will be exchanged by the members of the adult class.

On Sunday, December 22 Rev. J. T. Dearing, pastor, will preach on "Why Jesus Was Born" at the 11 o'clock hour and there will be special music. There will be a solo and a men's quartette.

On Sunday evening there will be a pageant "The Nativity" presented by the Sunday School pupils with Mrs. Michael Nicaise as reader and the traditional carols will be sung under the direction of Mrs. Hogan Helms who trained them for the songs. The carols to be sung by the children are "Come All Ye Faithful," "Oh Little Town of Bethlehem," "Silent Night," "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," "Joy to the World" and others.

On Tuesday, Dec. 25 the pastor will preach on the "Incarnation" with special music by the choir. Again the carols will form the song program and those to be sung are "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "Holy Night Peaceful Night," "Thou Didst Leave Thy Thorne" and others.

## Pageant To Be Presented At Methodist Church

At the Methodist church the Pageant "Gifts for Jesus" will be presented on Monday, December 23 by the Sunday School. Following this Santa Claus will distribute gifts to the children in the congregation.

Mrs. J. H. Thompson will direct the pageant and the parts will be taken by members of the Sunday School as follows: Mrs. Charles White, mother; T. A. Hobbs, father; Bill Whitfield, Bobbie; Barbara Ann Burrows, Anne; Frances Mobley, Alice; Helen Sinclair, Angel; J. A. Evans, Jr., Grady Parker, Jimmy McDonald, Andy Gray, Shepherds; Jimmy Lusk, Joseph; Betty Lusk, H. J. Thompson and Rev. P. E. Price, wise men.

On Sunday, Dec. 22 there will be a song service by the choir at 7:30 P. M.

## Society of Immaculate Conception Celebrates Feast Day

On Sunday, December 8th, Feast of the Immaculate Conception, members of the Italian Society of the Immaculate Conception attended Mass and received Holy Communion in a body. On Monday night, 28 members enjoyed a delicious seafood supper, served at Troop 217 Scout House.

Each year members of the society enjoy a delicious breakfast but because the feast day fell on Sunday, it was decided to have the supper on Monday, December 9th.

## Bay High 5th Grade Pupils Present Christmas Play

Mrs. Verna Hobbs presented her fifth grade pupils on Friday, December 13 at the Bay High assembly period in a play entitled "The First Noel."

Scene was laid in Bethlehem. Scene II showed the Shepherds on the hillside and scene II The Holy Family with the Wise Men kneeling in the background.

Leroy Smith was the announcer and Keith Tonkel and Dan Robert Cox took the parts of the Inn-keeper's son and his friend.

Robert Boudreaux, Billy Taylor, Mildred Favre, Robert Tanguis, Harold Netto were the Shepherds.

The parts of the Three Wise Men were taken by James Kraemer, Terrel Randolph, Vernon Ramond, Joseph Garcia and Catherine Tanguis were the Holy Family.

Other members of the fifth grade and the pupils of the sixth grade formed the choir. Mrs. Carl Smith, piano and Billy James, conet, accompanied the singers.

Preceding the program Alice Duquaiquer and Joe Burrow each played a piano solo.

## Christmas Service Our Lady Of the Gulf Parish

The Christmas services for the Parish of Our Lady of the Gulf will begin with a Solemn High Mass at midnight, to be celebrated by Right Reverend Monsignor Andrew J. Gmelch, Pastor and to be followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Other Masses at the church of Our Lady of the Gulf will be at 6, 7, 8:30, 10 and 11 o'clock a. m.

The Midnight Mass will be sung by the choir under the direction of Mrs. George Guilbaut. Preceding the Mass the choir will sing carols.

Christmas Mass at St. Henry's Chapel, Edwardsville will be at 8:30 a. m.; at St. Joseph's Chapel Dunbar avenue at 8:30 a. m. and at the chapel at Bayou LaCroix at 10 a. m.

## Clermont Harbor Picture Show Benefit at Ortte Theater Success

The picture show benefit given at Ortte's Theater for the Clermont Harbor school was a big success. Through the kindness of all the people who helped, every child in the school will have his own desk for the New Year. The picture was very good and was enjoyed by all.

## Son Baptized

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Noto was baptized on Sunday evening December 15th, at the Main Street Methodist Church by the Rev. Philip Pierce. The young man was given the name of Gary Alvah Noto. The sponsors were Gary's aunt and great uncle, Mrs. Emile Nicaise and Mr. Warren McDonald of New Orleans.

## MR. AND MRS. WILLIE PRICE LEE TO CELEBRATE 25TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Price Lee, of Leetown will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary on Tuesday, December 24th. They will have an open house from 2 p. m. to 7 p. m. and through this medium are extending an invitation to all of their friends to visit with them at that time and to join in the celebration.

## Rotary Christmas Party

At the regular meeting of the Bay St. Louis Rotary Club plans were completed for the annual Christmas Party. This will be held on Monday, December 23 at 8 p. m. when Rotarians will have as their guests their wives and their friends. A good program has been planned under the direction of G. F. (Pat) Rooney, chairman of the Christmas Party program. A good time is promised.

—Mrs. Julia Blaize and Mrs. Harry Glover, Sr., were honorees at a birthday luncheon at the Reed Hotel, on Thursday, December 19th. After the lunch, the ladies retired to the home of Mrs. Vicky Gex for an enjoyable afternoon of bridge. Those in the foursome were Mrs. Blaize, Mrs. Glover, Miss Vicky Gex and Mrs. L. S. Elliott.

## Meeting of Woman's Society Christian Service Held Tuesday

The Womens Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. H. Farr on Tuesday with Mrs. A. J. Noto, Mrs. G. Ramonoff, Mrs. I. Joyner as co-hostesses.

The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. F. J. Nelson.

A camellia was presented to the new members of the year by Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois, membership chairman. Mrs. N. Irwin was welcomed as a new member. Mrs. F. J. Nelson's circle reported a total of \$110.00.

Rev. Pierce made an outline of the study on Stewardship which will be held during the month of January.

Installation of officers will take place at the church on January 8th at 8 p. m.

Mrs. H. J. Thompson spoke on the Extra Thank Offering to missions, this offering amounted to \$43.00.

A review of the twelve crosses was presented by Mrs. C. M. Shipp. Mrs. A. C. Exnicios was presented a Life Membership pin. The presentation was made by Mrs. C. M. Shipp.

The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. C. C. McDonald. Delicious refreshments in keeping with the Christmas season were served.

## Bridge Club Enjoys Christmas Luncheon

The Tuesday two-table Bridge Club enjoyed a Christmas luncheon at Hotel Reed on Tuesday of this week with a guest Mrs. Robert Dominy, who was one of the organizers of the club and who is here for the Christmas holidays, present.

Others attending were Mesdames R. deMontluzin, Jr., Francis Dwyer, John Lachine, Pass Christian; Don McCulloch, Richard Shadoin, Richard Brennan, E. F. Fahey, Jr., D. M. Russell, Shelby Tucker.

Names were drawn and gifts exchanged and a general good time was had and no one minded if some one trumped their ace.

## Clinton Luther Promoted To Corporal

Berlin, Germany: Cpl. Clinton Luther, son of Mrs. R. W. Lafontaine of Ansley, Miss., has been promoted to his present grade from that of Private First Class, it was announced by Headquarters, 473rd Air Service Group.

Cpl. Luther is serving as Administrative Clerk in the Ling Training Section of the 47th Troops Carrier Squadron. His various duties are to file charts and schedules.

The 473rd Air Service Group is part of the European Air Transport Service, or EATS, which furnishes air transport in scheduled flights to the Allied powers in Berlin.

## Annual Meeting of Hancock County Chapter Red Cross Held

The annual meeting of the Hancock County Chapter of the American Red Cross was held Tuesday morning, December 17th, at the Courthouse.

The following officers were re-elected: Chapter Chairman—Roger M. Boh. First Vice-Chairman—Grady Perkins.

2nd Vice-Chairman—Mrs. Lamar Otis.

Secretary—Mrs. Horace L. Kergosien.

Treasurer—Roy Baxter, Sr.

## CELEBRATES 11TH BIRTHDAY

Little Miss Marlene Egloff celebrated her 11th birthday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Egloff on Friday, December 13 from 4 to 6. Ping Pong was the feature of entertainment for the young folks and there was a pink and white birthday cake to be served with other refreshments.

Marlene's guests were Gene Aime, Pansy Parker, Lena Morel, Margaret Beyer, Honorine Damborino, Margaret Ann Manasco and Janell Egloff. The adult group attending were Mrs. Evelyn Manasco, Mrs. Amelia Egloff, Mrs. Bruce Bordonon, Mrs. Mary Loiacano, Miss Marion Loiacano.



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## A CHILD IS BORN

At that time: There went forth a decree from Caesar Augustus that a census of the whole world should be taken. This first census took place while Cyrinus was governor of Syria. And all were going, each to his own town to register. And Joseph also went from Galilee out of the town of Nazareth into Judea to the town of David, which is called Bethlehem—because he was of the house and family of David—to register, together with Mary his espoused wife, who was with child. And it came to pass while they were there, that the days for her to be delivered were fulfilled. And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn. And there were shepherds in the same district living in the fields and keeping watch over their flocks by night. And behold, an angel of the Lord stood by them and the glory of God shone round about them, and they feared exceedingly. And the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid, for behold I bring you good news of great joy which shall be to all the people; for there has been born to you today in the town of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign to you; you will find an infant wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, and peace on earth among men of good will."—Luke 2, 1-14.

At that time: The shepherds were saying to one another "Let us go over to Bethlehem and see this thing that has come to pass, which the Lord has made known to us." So they went with haste, and they found Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in the manger. And when they had seen they understood what had been told them concerning this child. And all who heard marvelled at the things told them by the shepherds. But Mary kept in mind all these words, pondering them in her heart. And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all that they had heard and seen, even as it was spoken to them.—Luke 2, 15-20.

## It . . .

Children of Provence, France, reverently recite the following prayer before the Christmas cribs in that vicinity:

Little Jesus of the Crib—  
Give us the virtues of those who surround you.  
Make us as philosophical as the fisherman,  
Carefree as the drummer,  
Merry for exploring the world as the troubadour,  
Eager for work as the bugler,  
Patient as the spinner,  
Kind as the ass,  
Strong as the ox which keeps you warm.

Give us the sacred leisure of the hunter.

Give us also the desire of the Shepherd for earthly things.

The pride of the trade of the knife grinder and the weaver,

The song of the miller.

Give us the knowledge of the Magi.

The cheerfulness of the pigeon,

The impulsiveness of the cock,

The discretion of the snail,

The meekness of the lamb.

Give us the goodness of bread,

The tenderness of the wild boar,

The salt of the haddock,

The good humor of old wine,

The ardor of the candle,

The purity of a star.

Propriety of a few of the metaphors may be disputed, nevertheless, nostalgia prompts speculation regarding a world of humanity endowed with the virtues so earnestly and innocently enumerated by the little ones.

## KILN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Lott of Dallas, Texas, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Roddie of Gulfport visited Dr. and Mrs. T. Restin Heath and Mrs. Mary Ulysses Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Alex Hart, Jr. of Pascagoula visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Bennett of Pascagoula are spending a few days here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fuente and family of Jackson visited in Kiln over the week end. They attended the wedding of Miss Betty Travica at Picayune, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Travica. Others that attended are Mr. L. H. Neacise and sister; Mr. and Mrs. H. Mazarakis; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cameron.

Mr. L. Sardos has been on the sick list for some time. He is much improved at this writing.



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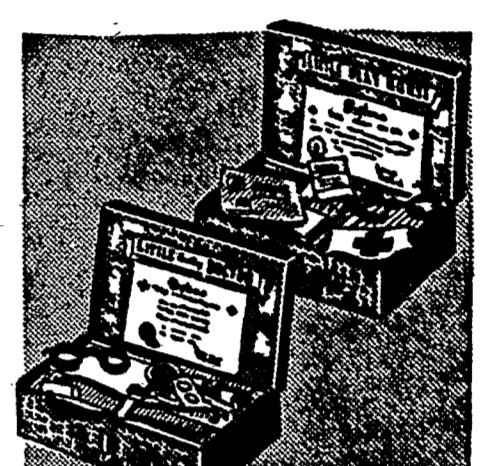
Stitch Craft Set  
59c

Everything for the ambitious little seamstress.



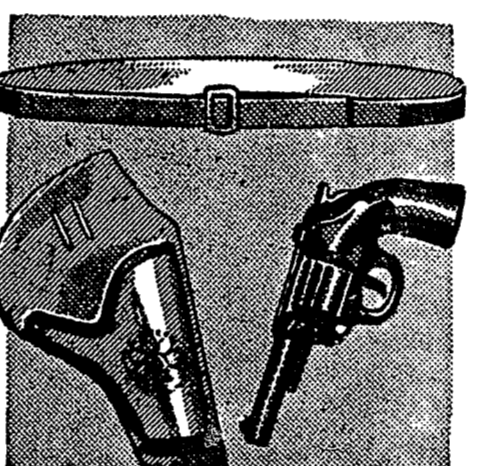
American Log Set  
35c

200-pc. set; embossed wood in natural colors.



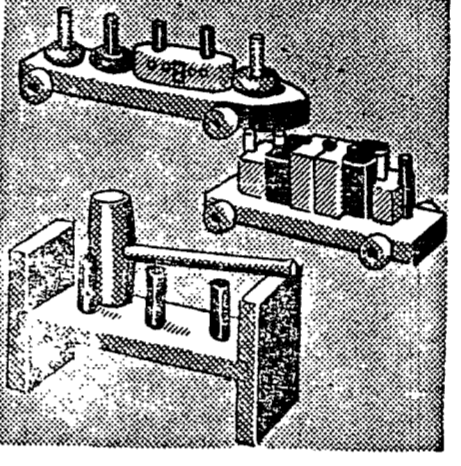
Doctor and Nurse Sets  
49c

For boys and girls. Eleven miniature articles in each clobber set; for nurse or doctor.



Pistol and Holster Set  
49c

Thrilling for Boys! Glossy black metal clicker pistol, holster and 30-in. belt of leather.



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Toys  
\$1.19

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# CHRISTMAS GIFT



Christmas is civilization's most favored season of the generous heart and the open purse. It is the traditional time of giving, greeting and gathering—of home-comings, family hearthstones, neighborly firesides and wholesome fellowships. It is the usual season of glad tidings and of good will.

Hancock Bank has already mailed out checks to its 1946 Christmas Club members totaling over \$152,000.00 and is making plans for next Christmas.

In keeping with its thrift policy it has long been the custom of your bank to encourage Christmas Savings. Under normal conditions numbers of its customers have occasionally been caught financially short at Christmas. Many of them, however, have formed the Christmas Club Savings habit; they like the idea of saving for Christmas just as they save for everything else. They find they get more out of Christmas if they keep the thought and spirit of it alive throughout the year, putting something by each month for it.

If you would have a happier Christmas save early just as you shop early. Nothing takes the joy out of that perfect Christmas like a January headache, aggravated by unpaid bills and an empty bank account.

The incentive to save is a sign of promise, whether it is saving for Christmas, for a home, for an education, for an investment opportunity or for personal security. Thrift is the magic wand that converts high hopes and fond dreams into rich realities. Many of our customers have become prosperous because they worked and saved.

Again we wish an abundance of health, happiness and prosperity to our many friends to whom we owe so much.

With genuine appreciation of our pleasant relations, we wish to extend to our friends best wishes for all the holiday joys and an abundance of health and prosperity in the New Year.



# HANCOCK BANK

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WAVELAND — GULFPORT — BILOXI

*CUT the  
COST of Christmas  
Entertaining*

TENDERIZED

## HAMS 1b. 65c

GROUND

### VEAL

28c lbs.

Veal Pot

ROAST

23c lb.

Swiss

CHEESE

89c lb.

Veal Loin

STEAKS

45c lb.

Pure Pork

SAUSAGE

49c lb.

PICNIC

### HAMS

45c lb.

VEAL

## CHOPS 1b. 19c

2 lb Brick

CHEESE

1.03

Dry Salt

MEAT

55c lb.

Pork Shoulder, Whole

ROAST

39c

ROME BEAUTY

## Apples 2 lb. 23c

Snowball

CAULIFLOWER

2 lbs.

27c

Crisp Tender

CELERY

8c lb.

Pink Meat

GRAPEFRUIT 1b.

6c

L.A. SWEET

### ORANGES

5 pounds

24c

Iceberg

LETTUCE

10c lb.

Fresh

CABBAGE

3c lb.

Firm

TOMATOES

23c lb.

Green

BROCCOLI

10c lb.

Yellow Globe

### ONIONS

3 lbs.

10c

Tender Snap

BEANS

21c lb.

Brussel

SPROUTS

27c lb.

Fancy EGGPLANTS

2 lbs.

25c

WHITE COBBLERS

## POTATOES 5 lb. 17c

Fresh

SHALLOTS 2 bun.

15c

Green

PARSLEY 5c bunch

Bell

PEPPERS 15c lb.

MELOMA

## COFFEE 1b. 36c

Creole

### OLEO

Pound

36c

Diamond

WALNUTS

49c lb.

Pet or Velva Evap.

MILK, 14½ oz. can

14c

Tender Sweet

CORN, No. 2 can

15c

Red Kidney

BEANS, 1 lb.

23c

ORANGE

### JUICE

46 oz. can

23c

Jefferson Island

SALT 1½ lbs.

3c

Factory Packed

SUGAR, 5 lbs.

43c

Grapefruit

JUICE, No. 2 can

11c

All Good Tomato

SAUCE 73¼ oz.

2 cans

15c

Cardinal

CRACKERS 1 lb.

21c

Navy

BEANS, 1 lb.

26c

# H. G. HILL STORES

WAVELAND — GULFPORT — BILOXI

### THE CHARTER OF INCORPORATION OF BAY GARMENT CORPORATION

1. The corporate title of said company is  
BAY GARMENT CORPORATION

2. The names of the incorporators are:

Darby Sere, Postoffice 4739 Western St., New Orleans, La.

R. E. Vivien, Sr., Postoffice 3116 De Soto St., New Orleans, La.

Frank A. Ulm, Postoffice 1109 Dublin St., New Orleans, La.

3. The domicile is at Bay St. Louis, Miss.

4. Amount of capital stock and particulars as to class or classes thereof:

\$100,000—Common

5. Number of shares for each class and par value thereof:

1,000 shares at \$100.00 per share.

6. The period of existence (not to exceed fifty years) is Fifty Years.

7. The purpose for which it is created:

The objects and purposes for which this corporation is organized and the nature of the business to be carried on by it are hereby declared to be:

1. To manufacture, buy, sell, import, and export, and generally deal in, either at wholesale or retail, textile fabrics of every kind, and to conduct the business of general textile manufacturers.

2. To manufacture, buy, sell, import, export and generally deal in, either at wholesale or retail, overalls, pants, dress, and work shirts, and all other articles of wearing apparel.

3. To manufacture, buy, sell, export, import, and generally deal in, either at wholesale or retail, dry goods, clothing, wearing apparel, and textile fabrics of every kind, and all articles of merchandise of like general character and description.

4. To conduct the business of general manufacturers and cutters of overalls, pants, dress, and work shirts, and all other articles of wearing apparel.

And generally to hold and exercise all such incidental powers and privileges as relate to the objects and purposes hereinabove set forth, or as may be necessary, useful or convenient for affecting said objects and purposes, or any of them.

The rights and powers that may be exercised by this corporation, in addition to the foregoing, are those

conferred by Chapter 4, Title 21, Code of Mississippi of 1942, and amendments thereto.

8. Number of Shares of each class to be subscribed and paid for before the corporation may begin business.

\$10,000.00.

DARBY SERE

R. E. VIVIEN, SR.

FRANK A. ULM

INCORPORATORS.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of Louisiana

Parish of Orleans

This day personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority, Darby Sere, R. E. Vivien, Sr., and Frank A. Ulm, incorporators of the corporation known as the Bay Garment Corporation, who acknowledged that they signed and executed the above and foregoing articles of incorporation as their act and deed on the 15 day of October, 1946.

HENRY G. BLOCH

Notary Public

My Commission is for life.

Received at the office of Secretary of State this the 19th day of October, A. D. 1946, together with the sum of \$210.00 deposited to cover the recording fee, and referred to the Attorney General for his opinion.

WALKER WOOD

Secretary of State

Jackson, Miss., October 23rd, 1946

I have examined this charter of incorporation and am of the opinion that it is not violative of the Constitution and laws of the state, or of the United States.

GREEK L. RICE

Attorney General

By W. B. FONTAINE

Assistant Attorney General

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

OFFICE OF

SECRETARY OF STATE

I, Walker Wood, Secretary of State, do certify that the Charter of Incorporation hereto attached entitled the Charter of Incorporation of BAY GARMENT CORPORATION was pursuant to the provisions of Title 21, Code of Mississippi of 1942, Recorded in the Records of Incorporations in this office, Photo-Stat, Book No. One, Pages 504-507.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi hereto affixed, this 23rd day of October 1946.

(GRFAT SEAL)

WALKER WOOD



### A CHRISTMAS THOUGHT

•THESE ARE DAYS WHEN WE ARE ALL IN A BIG HURRY TO GET HOME, FOR THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME WHEN THE CHRISTMAS WREATH IS GLOWING IN THE WINDOW. WE ARE DUE RIGHT NOW TO SAY OUR LITTLE PIECE—AN OLD REFRAIN, IT IS TRUE, BUT AS WARM AND HEARTFELT AS THE FIRST TIME WE EVER SAID IT—

## MERRY CHRISTMAS

### HANCOCK INSURANCE AGENCY

A. A. Scafile, Manager

Hancock Bank Bldg.

Phone 108

Bay St. Louis, Miss.



Have you ever thought of Christmas as a birthday party—a birthday party that goes all over the world at once? That is why Christmas is so joyous! Everybody is a participant in this big, grand, worldwide party, with Santa Claus the host!

And here we are, on the Eve of Christmas, sending you our very best wishes for a joyous time at this great Birthday Party.

### Monti-Carver Plumbing Co.

## XMAS BELLS



Will Ring So Merrily . . .

Bringing in a Wealth of Good Cheer and Happiness.

To Our Friends and Faithful Employees  
We wish A Merry Christmas and Happy and Prosperous New Year

## Dorgan Packing Co.

Secretary of State.  
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
EXECUTIVE OFFICE  
JACKSON

The within and foregoing Charter of Incorporation of BAY GARMENT CORPORATION is hereby approved.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed, this Twenty-Third day of October 1946.

(GREAT SEAL)

THOMAS L. BAILEY

Governor.

By the Governor

WALKER WOOD

Secretary of State

Recorded in Secretary of State's Office this the 23rd day of October, 1946.

ROCK BANTAMS LOSE TO BIRMINGHAM IN TOY BOWL 26-6

(Hubert Canabell)

The day of days came for the small team when they departed for Birmingham on the Hummingbird.

The entire student body was on hand for the send-off supported by the local band.

On arriving in Birmingham, flash bulbs popped continuously. A photographer from LIFE was on hand to take pictures of all the proceedings including the game. The time not spent at the stadium was a continuous round of banquets and meeting of celebrities among whom were Cardinal Spellman of New York, Father Flanagan of Boys Town and Pat O'Brien.

Although on the small end of the score, the Rocks enjoyed every minute of their stay. Congratulations for a fine showing, Brother Leonard and Coach Burge.

—Hundreds of Echo readers are still seeking hard-to-get articles. A buyer for that spare bed, discarded lawn mower, or what-have-you will see your message in the Echo's classified column. Only 10c per line. 30c minimum.—Advt.

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Sorry for not always having the tires, parts or accessories you needed.

Sorry for not always being able to give you as prompt service as we would like to give.

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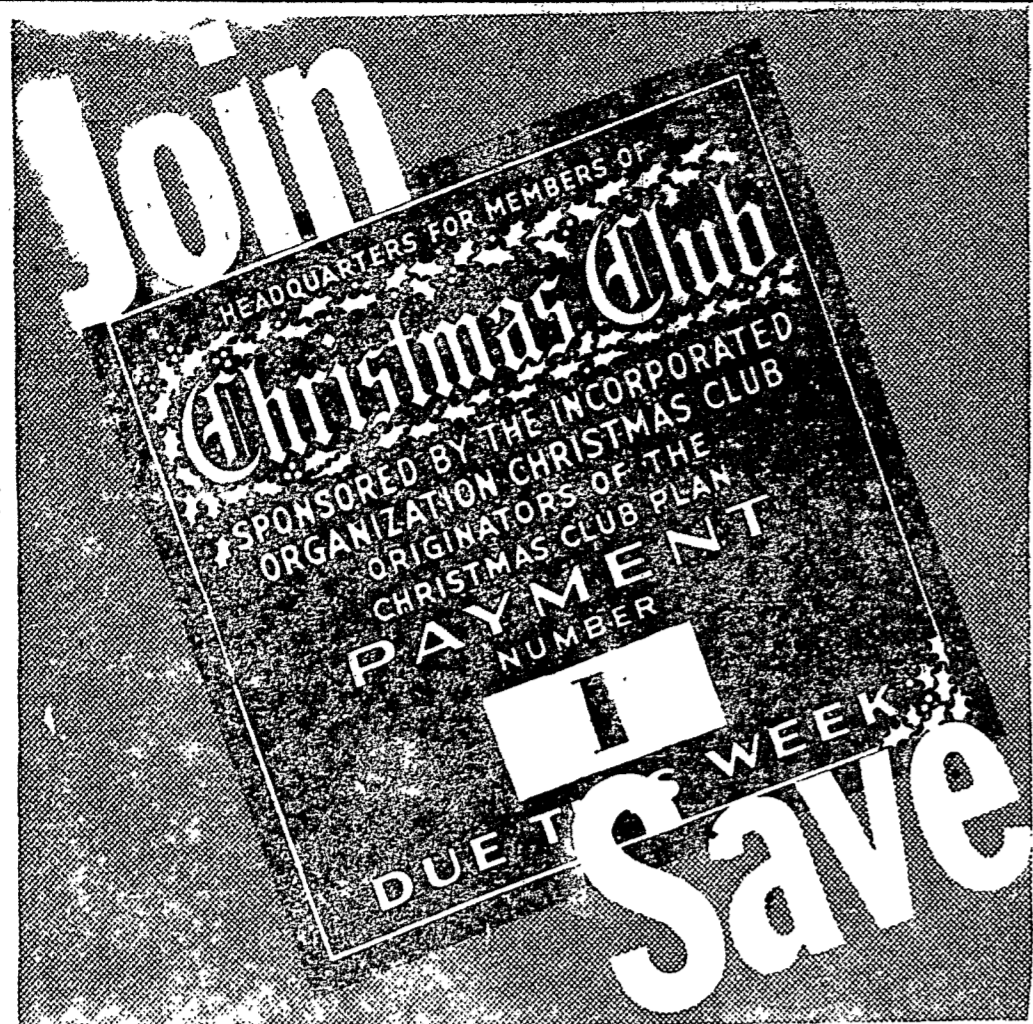
Glad for your understanding and consideration when we couldn't supply your needs

Glad that there are more cars, tires and accessories in sight for the future.

We trust that happy days are here again and that you will have the very happiest Christmas and New Year possible.

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### Gregg Speed Certificates Awarded To Bay High Students

On Wednesday, December 24, in assembly, Gregg speed certificate awards were given to George Benigno and Joyce Sylvester by Mrs. A. B. Dubuison, our commercial teacher. These students satisfactorily complete the requirements of taking dictation at sixty words a minute and transcribing the notes with a 95% accuracy. These standards are set up by the Gregg Publishing Company.

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### Mr. Ingram Attends Meeting Of S. E. A.

Our Superintendent, Mr. S. J. Ingram, was absent from school for a week, December 8-13, when he attended the Southern Education Association meeting at Memphis, Tennessee.

The purpose of this meeting is to try to improve in any way possible our southern high schools, and our part in it is to help Bay High maintain its standing as a member of the Association, which regulates many of our requirements for teacher-training and course of study.

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## Veterans' News

Transfer of the U. S. Naval Hospital at New Orleans to the Veterans Administration for temporary use has been approved by President Truman and the Federal Board of Hospitalization.

The Naval hospital, which has a 600-bed capacity, will be opened to veterans as quickly as a suitable staff can be assembled. Dr. Lee D. Cady, VA's Medical Director for Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi, said.

In addition to the temporary facilities at New Orleans, VA's medical service now has 7,260 beds available for veterans in hospitals in the tri-state area administered by the VA Dallas Branch Office.

A total of 144 American veterans were studying in educational institutions of 16 foreign countries under the GI Bill on October 1, the Veterans Administration disclosed.

Two hundred and twenty-three others also had attended foreign schools up to the same date, but 143 had concluded short summer courses, chiefly in Mexico and Canada, and the remaining 80 had discontinued their studies for a variety of reasons.

Of the grand total of 367 who had enrolled in foreign schools under the GI Bill up to October 1, 164 had attended schools in Mexico and 111 in Canada.

About 40 per cent of all veterans studying abroad were enrolled in English-speaking countries.

The average age of veterans studying outside the United States was 28.5 years, compared with the average age of 26 for students at entrance into U. S. Schools.

Liberal arts was the most popular course; Latin-American courses were

second, and medicine ranked third.

The Veterans Administration had certified more than 10,000 disabled veterans of World War II for vehicles by October 31 in the "Auto-

biles for disabled veterans program."

### Questions and Answers

Q. How many offices does the Veterans Administration have and where are they located?

A. The Veterans Administration has a central office in Washington, D. C., and 13 branch offices located in strategic centers of population. In addition, it has one or more regional office field stations or sub-regional offices in each state. Some of these are larger and have wider activities than others but all are charged with the duty of assisting veterans and their dependents.

Q. Are persons who assist in the presentation of pension or compensation claims to Veterans Administration permitted to charge for their services?

A. It is unlawful for any person, whether he be an attorney or agent admitted to practice before the Veterans Administration or not to charge or agent who has filed a valid power of attorney to a claim. However, the law provides that the Administrator of Veterans Affairs may by regulation authorize payment of fees in an allowed case to an admitted attorney or agent who has filed a valid power of attorney in that case. Such fees are deducted from the momentary benefits allowed.

Q. What identification data should I give in writing about my claim for benefits administered by the Veterans Administration?

A. If you are making application you should give your full name, grade, organization, serial number, date of entrance into service, date of discharge, and date and place of birth. After the claim is filed it will be assigned a claim number which should be mentioned in all subsequent communications.

Q. Does the name "United States Government Life (covered) Insurance" include "National Service Life Insurance?"

A. No. "United States Govern-

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ment Life Insurance" is insurance issued to World War I Veterans or to persons who applied for same while in active service before October 8, 1940. "National Service Life Insurance" is insurance provided for World War II veterans. Each is sometimes referred to as "Government Insurance" and each is administered by Veterans Administration under authority granted by Acts of Congress.

### City Hall Decorated

The Bay St. Louis City Hall is decorated in Christmas finery this year with long strings of multi-colored lights across the balcony. The lights were turned on Tuesday night and will continue to burn through the holidays.

## Dexterous Daphne



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	\$107.25	\$87.75	\$74.75
	\$185.63	\$151.88	\$129.38
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GULFPORT

## CATAHOULA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Bounds spent the week end at Salem.

Mrs. Dealus Cuevas has returned from the hospital and is recovering nicely.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Green Brown is ill. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. C. C. Seals visited friends in Lucedale Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Toxie Stewart visited here Sunday.



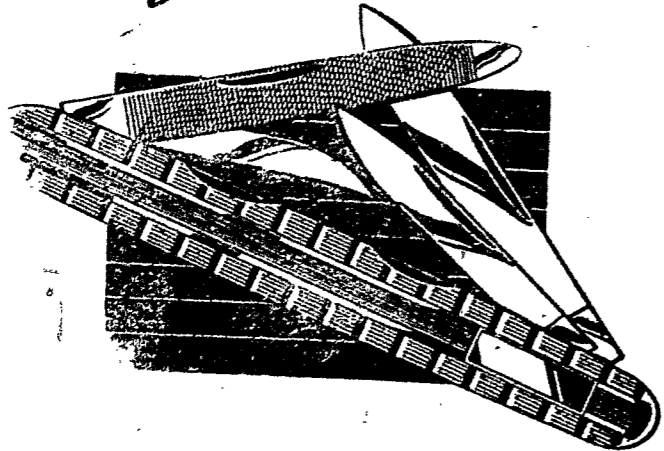
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## SCRIMSHAW'S FOOD MART

### WAVELAND

#### SELLERS NEWS

Mrs. Caroline Harriel returned home from Mobile where she has been in the hospital a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Werlein Ladner are proud parents of a son born December 6th.

Mr. Bunyon House visited his mother, Mrs. R. J. Rouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Herrington and sons were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ladner.

Mr. Billie Rae Haward is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Haward prior to being shipped overseas. Billie Rae is in the air force.

On December 16th a son was born

to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shaw, their second child and a second son. They had the misfortune of losing the first one.

Mr. E. J. Spiers returned home on Sunday night from overseas. E. J. has served his time out in the Army.

—Dr. C. M. Shipp, County Health Officer, announces that in accordance with the policy of the Mississippi State Board of Health the Hancock County Health Department will celebrate the holidays from Saturday, December 21 to Friday morning, December 27.

#### CHIROPRACTIC

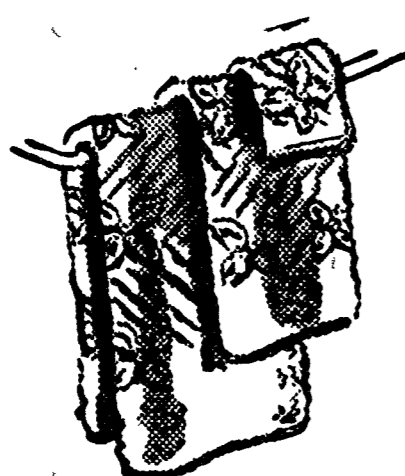
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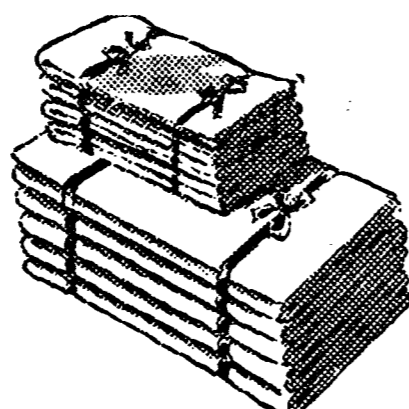
ASST. PASTEL SHADES

BATH TOWELS, 24 x 43 .....1.59 down

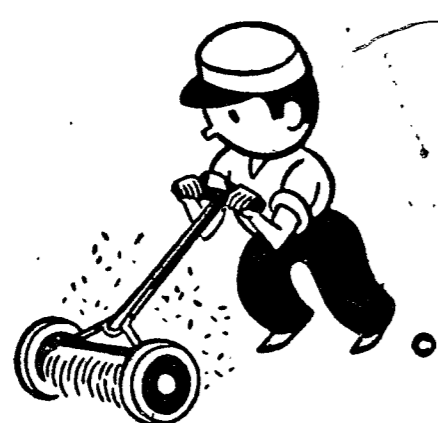
FACE TOWELS, 17 x 27 .....75c down

WASH CLOTHS, 12 x 12 .....39c down

IRISH LINEN HUCK TOWELS .....35c



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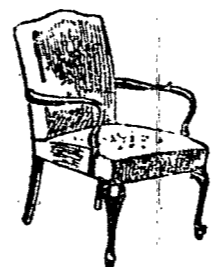
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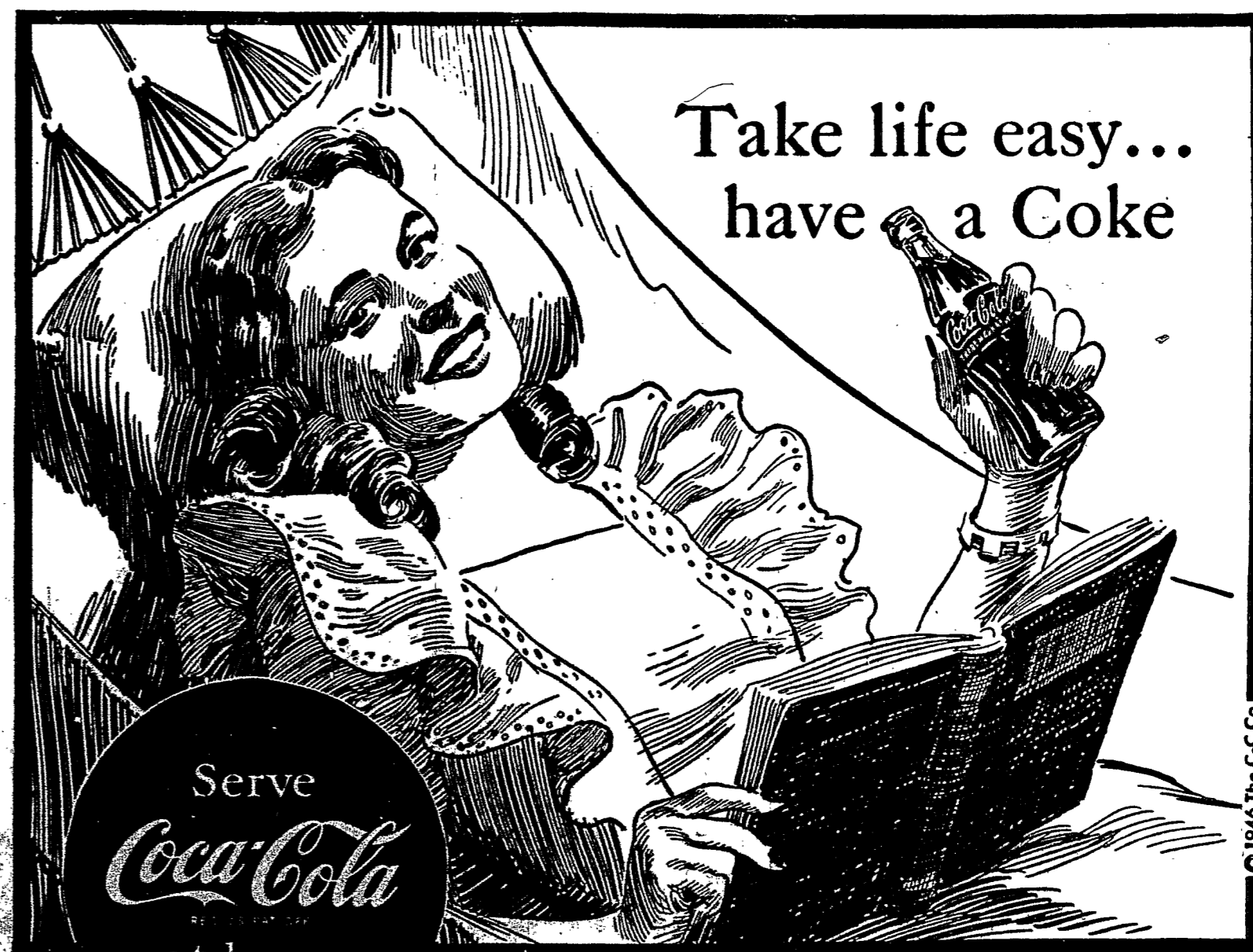
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ONE 1935 Plymouth Sedan, \$300.00.  
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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Executors Notice to Creditors of  
Georgia Burton, Deceased.

Letter testamentary having been  
granted on the 13th day of Decem-  
ber 1946 by the Chancery Court of  
Hancock County, Mississippi to the  
undersigned as Executor upon the  
Estate of Georgia Burton, deceased,  
notice is hereby given to all persons  
having claims against said estate to  
present the same to the Clerk of said  
court for probate and registration  
according to law within six months  
from this date or they will be for-  
ever barred.

This the 18th day of December,  
1946.

CORNELIUS BURTON  
Executor of the Estate of Georgia  
Burton, Deceased.

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Holly Bluff On-The-Jordan, R. F.  
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2105. Be sure to ask for Mr.  
James A. Bateman.

### FLAT TOP NEWS

Mrs. Sam Dill is on the sick list this  
week. She was taken to New Or-  
leans Sunday for treatment. We wish  
for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Leamon Mitchell underwe  
an operation at Martin's Sanatorium  
Tuesday.

Mr. Michael Burch from Alabama  
is spending a while with his son and  
daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Mose  
Burch.

Mr. Charles Knight is on the sick  
list at the home of his daughter, Mrs.  
Mabra Eccles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Havel Mrs. S.  
S. Rutherford and daughter were  
visitors in Purvis and Hattiesburg  
Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Wheat and  
son were business visitors in New  
Orleans, Saturday.



WE adults can learn much  
from our children—learn how to  
celebrate Christmas well. Let us  
turn back the clock this Christ-  
mas season of 1946 and get out  
of Christmas all the joys that  
children know when they hang  
their stockings up.

All together now for a big,  
glorious Christmas, topped off  
with our best wishes to all of you.

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den your hearts and give you peace of mind  
and spirit.

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**SODALITY SOCIAL  
OFFERS VARIETY OF  
ENTERTAINMENT**

On the night of December 14, the Sodality of St. Stanislaus gave its annual Christmas Social at which the boys and girls excelled in games and dancing. The girls who attended this the first Social of the year were from St. Joseph's Academy and the boys were from the college.

The volunteers from the Sodality helped to decorate the gym in the afternoon and did an excellent job of it.

At the social our good friend Santa Claus gave some of the most cherished presents that one could ask for. He came out on the stage and opened his bag to take out these presents for people in the audience. He began calling names and the first was Tony Carter who received a comb. The next to get a present was Sammy Blanchard who was given something to help out when he is at work, a miniature wheelbarrow. After this Miss Margie Horlock received something to fit her personality, a cigarette holder. Next on Santa's list was our honorable friend from Thibodaux, Mr. Ray Luke Richard, who received a very wonderful musical instrument, a toy flute. Then Santa took another gift from his bag and called Walter "Goobar" Cleveland



1946  
**Merry Christmas**

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GOOD WISHES  
for a delightful  
holiday season  
from the store  
that friendship  
built.

**SCHARFF'S**  
220 MAIN STREET

**Faith and Peace**

*Are Eternal...*

TWENTY centuries have passed since the inn at Bethlehem was overcrowded because of Caesar Augustus and his census.

The bigwigs who crowded the inn were committed to oblivion by their contemporaries and, except for the census and resultant conditions at Bethlehem, it wouldn't matter too much if Augustus completely vanished from the history books.

It is generally immaterial that, as puppet king of Judea, Herod fortified the kingdom and kept it out of the clutches of Cleopatra, rebuilt the city of Samaria, and endowed several pagan temples long since crumbled into dust. Few people know, and fewer care, that his wife and two sons were murdered at his command. This sort of a Romanized Jew is remembered chief-



ly because of his hypocritical treatment of the Wise Men and because he authorized the slaughter of the Holy Innocents—and even this deed of incredible cruelty might have been forgotten if the Innocents were not associated with the Babe of Bethlehem who grew into the Christ and bequeathed a new philosophy of love and peace to all mankind.

Some men question what has been accomplished during the 20 centuries since Bethlehem.

True enough, some of the records have been written with indelible inks of hatred and prejudice and splattered with much blood; but cynics had best not rest their argument too confidently upon the gory records written or provoked by men who either did not know Christ or openly rejected his commands.

On the other hand, the glad tidings announced to a few shepherds at Bethlehem have inspired courage and faith and love such as no earthly decree or proclamation has ever called forth.

Faith and Peace are eternal quests—and twenty centuries are mere fleeting moments of Eternity.

to the stage for his present, which turned out to be something that he can readily use at all times, a toy shovel. Then Miss Virgil Dick received a present from Santa and also his regrets for she only received a box of JAX. Then jolly old St. Nick called another name on the list and it turned out to be yours truly to whom he gave a small package of nipples. The Senior class of St. Joseph's Academy received a large box of cigars which they accepted with great joy. The last on Santa's list was Leon Patten who received a piece of doll furniture, the bath tub.

The choral group from St. Joseph's Academy gave beautiful renditions of "The Florient Song" and "Noel, Noel." Also included in the singing part of the entertainment program was a senior of St. Stanislaus, Bob Henry who sang "O Holy Night." The Glee Club of St. Stanislaus gave a beautiful rendition of "Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes." Next came a group of farmer's daughters who sang their own version of "Give Me Five Minutes More." By special request Johnny Demorelle sang "White Christmas" as a song of the season and also "The Gypsy."

Johnny Bonck did a swell job as

Master of Ceremonies and made all of the guests enjoy themselves to their hearts content.

In conclusion, we wish to thank all the individuals who added to the enjoyment of the occasion by their little skits and songs. Thanks also to Brother Felician who devoted his time and energy to the organizing and preparation of this gala affair.

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GOOD WISHES

For a  
Holiday Season  
Filled With Joy  
That Will Remain  
Throughout the  
Coming Years  
Of Peace!

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**JOY**

TO THE WORLD

May the ringing of  
Christmas carols accom-  
pany the happy music in  
your heart!

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**Merry Christmas**

The words are old,  
the wish is old,  
But timelessly sincere—  
The threadbare phrase  
grows fresh and new  
With every passing year.

Merry Christmas, everyone!  
A day of joy and mirth,  
Where men may walk as brothers  
Upon a peaceful earth.

Close with the warmth of Christmas,  
The world grows snug and small—  
Merry Christmas, everyone!  
Merry Christmas, all!

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Mr. and Mrs. Gaspar Maurigi, Sr., cutting their cake at the recent celebration of their fortieth wedding anniversary. (Photo by Anthony Scalfide.)

### "DOC" BLANCHARD ALL-AMERICAN FOR THIRD YEAR

The following text is quoted from the Saturday Evening Post News Bureau which presented the All-American Football Team of 1946. It deals with a Strassburg graduate of '42 who was picked as a back, again, "Doc" Blanchard was "Mister Inside." Probably the most punishing runner since Brocko Nagurski, Blanchard was 205-pound full-back with the power and speed of an express train. An astonishingly fast starter, he literally tore opposing lines apart. Once into the secondary, he ran like a fleet halfback. Blanchard, who did everything well offensively, was also as good as they come on defense—a quality which was often overshadowed by his ball carrying, blocking and kicking. Operating most of the season at defensive right halfback in the Army defense, Blanchard was almost impossible to pass

against and was a deadly tackler. In the bitterly fought Notre Dame game, he turned back everything the powerful Irish sent at him, and he was not blocked out of one play where the tackle was his to make. As Army fullback for three years, Blanchard won the Heisman Memorial Trophy, the Maxwell Club, of Philadelphia Award, the Walter Camp Trophy and the Sullivan Trophy for being the outstanding amateur athlete in America. Blanchard, whose home is in Bishopville, South

Carolina, ended his Army football career with the 1946 season."

### Basketball Season At Bay High Opened December 13

The Bay High boys and girls officially opened their 1946-47 basketball campaign when they met the Pass Christian Pirates in Bay High Gym, Friday night, December 13, before an enthusiastic crowd of supporters.

The boys under the direction of Coach Smith showed great ability and before the season's over we hope to see a great team on our local court.

Boys wearing the blue and gold are Pete Walker, Rod Murphy, Horace Davis, Harlan Dean, Ott Brockman, Delbert Zingarling, George Benigno, Clyde Favie, Pierre Dupiquier, Alvin Ladner, Eugene Schloegel, Lloyd Shubert, Clyde Ladner, Charles Odom, William Luxich.

Miss Parker, the girls' coach, has chosen the following nineteen to wear the blue and gold uniforms. Forwards: Betty Ruth Johnston, Audrey Moran, Betty Courree, Helen Planos, Shirley Ladner, Audrey Bourgeois, June McConnel, Gay Curren, Jane Dubuisson and Joyce Middleton. Guards: Catherine Garriga, Louise Maskew, Elsie Noto, Margaret Allen, Margaret Ann Murphy, Pernice Eley, Evelyn Taylor, Inez Ladner, Audrey Mays.

Lets back our teams by attending all of the ball games and yelling like heck. Everyone knows that the boys and girls practice very hard each day, and that playing basketball is a very serious business to them. The least the rest of us can do is to support our teams at all times.

### CHANCERY SUMMONS

#### THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO:

"The Heirs at Law of Denis Manchon, Deceased, and the Heirs at Law of Mrs. Marie Bendries Manchon, Deceased."

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State on the Fourth Monday of February, 1947 to answer the Suit No. 5237 in said court of Mrs. Marie D. Esparros, Mrs. Odile M. Crumhorn, Denis D. Manchon, Edgar Joseph Manchon, and Gertrude Ethel Manchon; wherein you are defendants, being a suit by the said Mrs. Marie D. Esparros, Mrs. Odile M. Crumhorn, Denis D. Manchon, Edgar Joseph Manchon, and Gertrude Ethel Manchon, petitioners in said suit, to have themselves recognized and decreed to be the sole and only surviving heirs at law of Denis Manchon, Deceased, and Mrs. Marie Bendries Manchon, Deceased.

This the 5th day of December, A. D. 1946.

(SEAL)

A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

Carolina, ended his Army football career with the 1946 season."

### Minute Make-Ups By GABRIELLE



Look your prettiest to greet the New Year! Pin flowers in your hair. Mistletoe, dipped in silver powder, makes a beautiful "frosty" hair decoration! You won't have to stand under the mistletoe—you'll be under it, just in case!

### Boys Selected For Boxing Team at Bay High

A meeting was held on December third for boys who are to participate in boxing this season. Boxing Coach August Scalfidi was glad to see that his boxers from last year are again back with him. The boys seem to

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters testamentary in the Estate of Mrs. Leontine Malley, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1946, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This 18th day of Dec., A. D. 1946.  
MRS. GRACIE MALLEY HODE  
Executrix of the Estate of Mrs. Leontine Malley, Deceased.

### Be Quick To Treat Bronchitis

Chronic bronchitis may develop if your cough, chest cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine less potent than Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes.

Creomulsion blends beechwood creosote by special process with other time tested medicines for coughs. It contains no narcotics.

No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough, permitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back. (Adv.)

### A Great Big Merry



### The Year's Biggest Day

is just around the corner, and we are all as happy as children. For this is really going to be a merry Christmas.

That it may be especially joyous for you is the sincere wish of

## Supertane Gas Co.

be very anxious to get started with training, but unfortunately they will have to wait until they return from their Christmas holidays. Students from last year's boxing squad that will start training on January 6 are: Joe Capdepon, Lester Tanguis, Jimmy McArthur, Martin Noto, Truman

Schultz, Curtis Colson, Norman Green, A. J. Cospelich.

Newcomers to the sport who also will start training are: Eugene Schloegel, Harlan Dean, Pete Walker, Herman Price, J. D. Creel, Frank Quintini, Tommy Casey, Jimmie Randolph, Joe Bremond.

### SEASON'S GREETINGS



And an abundance of Christmas cheer. Our promise of dependable service holds true in 1946 as in the past years

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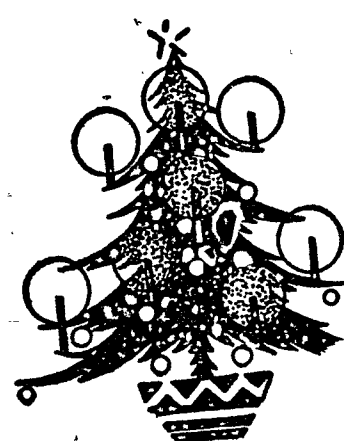


### Time to Say HAPPY HOLIDAY

May your spirits soar as high as that star on your Christmas tree and may your day be as bright as the gayest Christmas Packages.

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### A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS



Our entire organization joins in a wholehearted wish for your happy holiday...And may your every dream be realized in the New Year.

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V. A. MORREALE



MAY TRUE  
HAPPINESS  
IN ALL ITS  
FULLNESS  
BE YOURS THIS  
CHRISTMASTIME

Ramsey's  
GIFTS  
LADIES READY-TO-WEAR

### TO OUR MANY FRIENDS



### Glad thoughts

And special wishes  
Are happily combined  
To make this  
Christmas Greeting  
The warmest kind.

Meyer's Cash Grocery  
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Vincent

## GREETINGS!

Music and song and happiness everywhere! Lighted windows, green trees brilliant with glowing bulbs, all contributing to the grand sum total of Christmas.

It's fine to celebrate Christmas again this season of 1946, fine to have finished another year in this community of happy homes and friendly people.

To Each and All We Wish

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

HOTEL REED

## REGULAR MONTHLY MEET CO. BOARD SUPERVISORS.

### DECEMBER MEETING, A. D. 1946 STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Be it remembered that a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, State of Mississippi, was begun and held at the Court-house thereof in the City of Bay St. Louis, on Monday, December 2nd, 1946, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., the same being the time and place for the holding of said meeting. There were present, to-wit: Chas. B. Murphy, President of said Board; John B. Wheat, Johnson S. Shaw, Lander Necaise and Ed. P. Ortle, Members; John A. Egloff, Sheriff of said County, and A. G. Favre, Clerk of said Board.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board recess until Monday morning, December 9th, 1946, at 9:00 O'Clock A. M.

CHAS. B. MURPHY, President, Monday morning, December 9th, 1946, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., the Board met pursuant to recess. There were present as on Monday, December 2nd. John A. Egloff, Sheriff and Tax Collector of Hancock County, having presented to the Board his list of insolvencies, erroneous assessments, reduced assessments, additional assessments etc. for the year 1945, and the Board having carefully examined and scrutinized the said lists, and having acted therein in the manner directed by law, and the Board being now satisfied that the said Tax Collector is now entitled to credit for said lists as set out above and is entitled to be charged with additional assessments as set out.

It is, therefore, ordered by the Board that the Tax Collector be and he is hereby allowed the amounts as set out hereinabove on account of insolvencies, etc., and that he be charged the amounts for additional assessments, etc.

It is ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed the said John A. Egloff, Sheriff and Tax Collector of Hancock County on account of Reduced Realty for the year 1945 as per list filed according to law, examined and approved, to-wit:

General County Fund	\$115.17
Health & Sick Fund	21.97
Road & Bridge Fund	86.37
Courthouse and Jail Fund	29.29
Judicial Fund	14.64
Bridge Fund	117.17
Pearl River Jr. College Fund	14.39
Advertising Fund	14.64
Paupers Fund	21.97
Seawall Fund	29.29
Common School Fund	33.70
Road and Bridge Bond Fund	58.58
Loan Warrant Bond Fund	51.26
Road Protection Bond Fund	43.94
School Bond Fund	14.64
State	28.79
Kiln School Fund	3.25
Kiln School Bond Fund	3.25
Gulfview School Fund	3.68
Gulfview School Bond Fund	4.20
Logtown School Fund	.58
Logtown School Bldg. Fund	.57
Sellers School Fund	10.10
Dedeaux School Fund	12.00
Dedeaux School Bond Fund	.30
Leetown School Fund	.30
Leetown School Bond Fund	.30
Caesar School Fund	.60
Catahoula School Fund	2.60

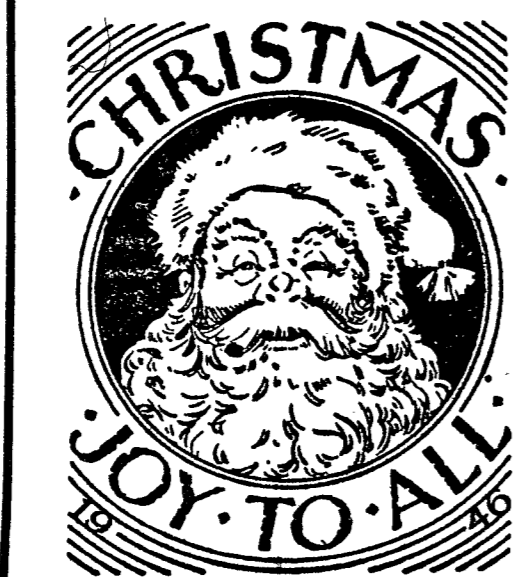
It is Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed the said John A. Egloff, Sheriff and Tax Collector of Hancock County, on account of Erroneous Personality for the year 1945, as per list filed according to law, examined and approved, to-wit:

General County Fund	\$43.32
Health and Sick Fund	8.12
Road and Bridge Fund	32.49
Courthouse and Jail Fund	10.83
Judicial Fund	5.42
Bridge Fund	43.32
Pearl River Jr. College Fund	5.42
Advertising Fund	5.42
Paupers Fund	8.12

Seawall Fund	10.83
Common School Fund	25.30
Road and Bridge Bond Fund	21.66
Loan Warrant Bond Fund	18.95
Road Protection Bond Fund	16.25
School Bond Fund	5.42
State	10.83
Gulfview School Fund	.84
Gulfview School Bond Fund	.96
Logtown School Fund	3.00
Logtown School Bldg. Fund	3.00
Aaron Academy School Fund	2.20
Sellers School Fund	5.70
Dedeaux School Fund	.50
Dedeaux School Bond Fund	1.25
Leetown School Fund	2.60
Leetown School Bond Fund	2.60
Flat Top School Fund	2.30

Be it Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed John A. Egloff, Sheriff and Tax Collector of Hancock County, on account of Erroneous Realty for the year 1945 as per list filed according to law examined and approved, to-wit:

General County Fund	\$59.24
Health and Sick Fund	11.11
Road and Bridge Fund	44.43
Courthouse and Jail Fund	14.81
Judicial Fund	7.41
Bridge Fund	59.24
Pearl River Jr. College Fund	7.41
Advertising Fund	7.41
Paupers Fund	11.11
Seawall Fund	14.81
Common School Fund	58.10
Road and Bridge Bond Fund	29.62
Loan Warrant Bond Fund	25.92
Road Protection Bond Fund	22.21
School Bond Fund	7.41
State	14.81
Kiln School Fund	1.65
Kiln School Bond Fund	1.65
Gulfview School Fund	2.06
Gulfview School Bond Fund	2.36
Logtown School Fund	.40
Logtown School Bldg. Fund	.40
Clermont Harbor School Fund	.30
Aaron Academy School Fund	3.30
Sellers School Fund	.65
Dedeaux School Fund	1.95
Dedeaux School Bond Fund	4.88



TO  
WISH FOR YOU  
LOADS OF  
GOOD CHEER  
AND  
HAPPINESS  
AT  
CHRISTMASTIME

Mr. & Mrs.  
A. Trapani

Caesar School Fund	2.60
Flat Top School Fund	.18

It is Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed John A. Egloff, Sheriff and Tax Collector of Hancock County, on account of State Lands, not subject to redemption, as per list filed according to law, examined and approved, to-wit:

General County Fund	\$119.79
Health and Sick Fund	22.50
Road and Bridge Fund	89.97
Courthouse and Jail Fund	30.00
Judicial Fund	15.00
Bridge Fund	119.79
Pearl River Jr. College Fund	15.00
Advertising Fund	15.01
Paupers Fund	22.50
Seawall Fund	30.00
Common School Fund	92.87
Road and Bridge Bond Fund	59.99
Loan Warrant Bond Fund	52.48
Road Protection Bond Fund	44.99
School Bond Fund	15.00
State	30.00
Kiln School Fund	5.55
Kiln School Bond Fund	5.55
Gulfview School Fund	32.45
Gulfview School Bond Fund	37.09
Logtown School Fund	7.22
Logtown School Bldg. Fund	7.23
Sellers School Fund	2.25
Dedeaux School Fund	2.90
Dedeaux School Bond Fund	7.25
Leetown School Fund	.20
Leetown School Bond Fund	.20
Caesar School Fund	.05
Catahoula School Fund	.64

It is Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed the said John A. Egloff, Sheriff and Tax Collector of Hancock County on account of State Lands (sold in the year 1945 for 1944 taxes) as per list filed according to law, examined and approved, to-wit:

General County Fund	\$123.16
Health and Sick Fund	25.05
Road and Bridge Fund	92.33
Courthouse and Jail Fund	33.39
Judicial Fund	16.69
Bridge Fund	133.55
Pearl River Jr. College Fund	15.39
Advertising Fund	16.69
Paupers Fund	25.05
Seawall Fund	33.39
Common School Fund	109.94
Road and Bridge Bond Fund	66.77
Loan Warrant Bond Fund	58.43
Road Protection Bond Fund	50.08
School Bond Fund	16.39
State	30.79
Gulfview School Fund	2.52
Gulfview School Bond Fund	2.88
Logtown School Fund	4.00
Logtown School Bldg. Fund	4.00
Sellers School Fund	.80
Dedeaux School Fund	.10
Dedeaux School Bond Fund	.25
Salem School Fund	.40

It is Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed the said John A. Egloff, Sheriff and Tax Collector of Hancock County on account of State Lands (sold in the year 1946 for 1945 taxes) as per list filed according to law, examined and approved, to-wit:

General County Fund	\$14.20
Health and Sick Fund	2.96
Road and Bridge Fund	10.64
Courthouse and Jail Fund	3.95
Judicial Fund	1.98
Bridge Fund	15.80
Pearl River Jr. College Fund	1.78
Advertising Fund	1.98
Paupers Fund	2.98
Seawall Fund	3.95
Common School Fund	7.35
Road and Bridge Bond Fund	7.90
Loan Warrant Bond Fund	6.91
Road Protection Bond Fund	5.92
School Bond Fund	1.98
State	2.55
Gulfview School Fund	1.02
Gulfview School Bond Fund	1.16
Logtown School Fund	.27
Logtown School Bldg. Fund	.28
Aaron Academy School Fund	.30

It is Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed the said John A. Egloff, Sheriff and Tax Collector of Hancock County on account of insolvent personality, for the year 1945, as per list filed according to law, examined and approved, to-wit:

General County Fund	\$555.12
Health and Sick Fund	104.09
Road and Bridge Fund	416.34
Courthouse and Jail Fund	138.73

#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors at the office of the Clerk of said Board not later than

11:00 O'Clock A. M. on Monday, December 16, 1946, for furnishing to Hancock County one (1) used 99 M Austin Western Motor Patrol.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 21st day of November, A. D. 1946.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

#### CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

To Anthony Taylor

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February A. D. 1947, to defend the suit No. 5214 in said Court of Mrs. Victorine Taylor, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 12th day of November, A. D. 1946.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

#### CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

To: CLARA BELL (FOSTER)

MORAN, Non-Resident. Street

And Post Office Address Unknown.

You are commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1947, to defend the suit in said Court of Julius L. Moran, wherein you are Defendant for Divorce.

This the 22nd day of November, 1946.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Chancery Clerk.

JOYOUS  
CHRISTMAS

LET EVERY HEART  
BE GLAD

J. C. CLOWER  
FURNITURE CO.  
Gulfport



#### SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS

FAITH... faith in our homes and community... faith in the future... faith in men of good will, eternally — this is the essence of the Christmas season.

CHRISTMAS should be a time of joy, and we hope that this Christmas of 1946 will be rich in good cheer and true happiness for all who read this message.

★ ★ THE BEST OF EVERYTHING FOR YOU ★ ★

Bay Ice Co. and Employees



Merry Christmas

"Say it with Flowers"

Adams-Lorraine Flower Shop  
Gulfport Pass Christian

Road and Bridge Bond Fund.....	34	to John A. Egloff, Sheriff and Tax	
Loan Warrant Bond Fund.....	29	Collector of Hancock County on	
Road Protection Bond Fund.....	25	account of Additional Realty for the	
School Fund.....	.08	year 1945, as per list filed accord-	
State.....	.18	ing to law, examined and approv-	
Gulfview School Fund.....	.40	ed, to-wit:	
Gulfview School Bond Fund.....	.34	General County Fund.....	\$150.08
Clermont Harbor School Fund.....	.03	Health and Sick Fund.....	31.91
It is Ordered by the Board that		Courthouse and Jail Fund.....	42.55
the following amounts be charged		Road and Bridge Fund.....	112.55



#### JOIN WITH US

Let us toss our cares out the window. It's Christmas! Join with us in celebrating the glorious holiday.

And Merry Christmas  
TO YOU

Mr. and Mrs.  
Norman Benigno

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Judicial Fund	21.28	General County Fund	\$283.92
Bridge Fund	170.20	Health and Sick Fund	53.24
Pearl River Jr. College Fund	18.76	Road and Bridge Fund	212.94
Advertising Fund	21.28	Courthouse and Jail Fund	70.98
Paupers Fund	31.91	Judicial Fund	35.49
Seawall Fund	42.55	Bridge Fund	283.92
Common School Fund	174.09	Pearl River Jr. College Fund	35.49
Road and Bridge Bond Fund	85.13	Advertising Fund	35.49
Loan Warrant Bond Fund	74.46	Paupers Fund	33.24
Road Protection Bond Fund	63.83	Seawall Fund	70.98
School Bond Fund	21.28	Common School Fund	195.05
State	37.52	Road and Bridge Bond Fund	141.93
Kiln School Fund	44.74	Loan Warrant Bond Fund	124.22
Kiln School Bond Fund	44.74	Road Protection Bond Fund	106.47
Gulfview School Fund	16.31	School Bond Fund	35.49
Gulfview School Bond Fund	18.64	State	70.98
Logtown School Fund	.95	Kiln School Fund	31.85
Logtown School Bldg. Fund	.95	Kiln School Bond Fund	31.85
Clermont Harbor School Fund	.25	Gulfview School Fund	7.89
Aaron Academy School Fund	.60	Gulfview School Bond Fund	8.92
Sellers School Fund	30.40	Logtown School Fund	15.10
Dedeaux School Fund	23.00	Logtown School Bldg. Fund	15.10
Dedeaux School Bond Fund	57.50	Clermont Harbor School Fund	.57
Leetown School Fund	10.95	Aaron Academy School Fund	8.10
Caesar School Fund	1.95	Sellers School Fund	19.80
Catahoula School Fund	2.32	Dedeaux School Fund	9.60
Salem School Fund	3.55	Dedeaux School Bond Fund	24.09
Flat Top School Fund	.28	Leetown School Fund	14.35
It is Ordered by the Board that		Leetown School Bond Fund	14.35
the following amounts be charged		Caesar School Fund	3.89
to John A. Egliot, Sheriff and Tax		Catahoula School Fund	5.65
Collector of Hancock County, on ac-		Flat Top School Fund	4.55



MAY YOUR HEARTS BE FILLED  
WITH HAPPINESS AND CHEER

Greetings to you, one and all. May  
your holiday season be merry, the com-  
ing year filled with much happiness.

## B. R. ENGMAN STORE

DRY GOODS - NOTIONS - LACES - MILLINERY  
GENTS' FURNISHINGS



It is good to know that  
Christmas is here again . . .  
good to celebrate it,  
as in the past, with so many  
fine people with whom  
we are happy to be associated  
in this community, and  
to whom we now send

Our Most  
Hearty  
CHRISTMAS  
GREETINGS

Magnolia State  
Supply Company

count of Additional Personality for  
the year 1945, as per list filed ac-  
cording to law, examined and ap-  
proved, to-wit:

There coming on for consideration  
by the Board of Supervisors of Han-  
cock County, Mississippi, the matter  
of allocating the gasoline excise tax  
levied and collected under the au-  
thority and provisions of Section  
6830 of the Mississippi Code of 1930,  
and which will be paid into the coun-  
ty treasury during the month of De-  
cember, 1946, from collections of  
November, 1946; and the Board doth  
find and adjudicate that there are  
sufficient funds on hand in the pro-  
cess of sinking fund for the liquidation  
of the interest accruing on and to  
provide a sinking fund for the re-  
tirement of all bonds, notes and cer-  
tificates of indebtedness issued by  
the county and municipalities for  
road protection under the provisions  
of chapter 165 of the Mississippi  
Code of 1930, and acts amendatory  
thereto and that the proceeds of such  
excise tax from collections of the  
month of November, 1946, will not  
be needed for any deficiency in the  
amount collected by the State and  
paid to the county for the liquidation  
of the interest and principal of  
indebtedness, or for refunds as pro-  
vided in said section; and that no  
deficiency exists or will exist in the  
funds for such purposes; and that  
the amount collected and to be col-  
lected from said excise tax for the  
said month of November, 1946, will  
constitute an overplus and will not  
be required for the payment of prin-  
cipal and interest of such outstanding  
bonds, notes or certificates of in-  
debtedness, or such refunds, and that  
it is hereby ordered that such surplus  
shall be used for repairs and main-  
tenance of the county roads; it is  
therefore

Ordered by the Board of Super-  
visors of Hancock County, Mississippi,  
that all of the receipts from the  
gasoline excise tax levied and col-  
lected under the authority of Sec-  
tion 6830 of the Mississippi Code of  
1930, and acts amendatory thereto,  
paid into the treasury of said county  
during the month of December,  
1946 from such collections of Novem-  
ber, 1946 be placed to the credit  
of the County Fund; and that the  
Chair of this Board issue the neces-  
sary warrants for the payment of  
said taxes into the said County Road  
Fund or the said month.

Ordered by the Board of Super-  
visors, this the 9th day of December,  
A. D. 1946.

Be it Ordered by the Board that  
the Board recess until Monday morn-  
ing, December 16th, 1946, at 9:00  
o'clock A. M.

CHAS. D. MURPHY, President.

Monday morning, December 16th,  
1946, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., the Board  
met pursuant to recess. There were  
present as on Monday, December 9th,  
1946.

Whereas, under House Bill Number

36, passed at the 1946 session of the

Legislature of the State of Missis-  
sippi, and approved by the Govern-  
or, the amount of \$53,305.40 was al-  
located to Hancock County, Missis-  
sippi, for a program of construction  
and improvement of county roads in  
addition to that provided in coop-  
eration with the Federal Government;  
and for other purposes, and

Whereas, said funds were deposi-

ted in the County Depository to the  
credit of the Highway Fund, and  
Whereas, the Board of Supervisors  
of Hancock County, at their May  
meeting adopted a resolution provid-  
ing that the said funds should be  
expended for roads as would do the  
most good, and that the said avail-  
able amount should be expended for  
material and labor in construction  
and improvement of county roads  
and bridges selected by the Board of  
Supervisors of this county, and pro-  
vided, however, that the Board of  
Supervisors should first select for  
construction and reconstruction  
school bus routes, rural mail routes,  
and that this Board should spread  
upon its minutes the roads, bridges to  
be constructed and improved and that  
the Board in the selection of these  
projects should select roads and  
bridges which would be of the  
greatest benefit to the district or  
beat or county as a whole, judged  
from the stand point of relative use  
and importance, and where certain  
roads of the county as may be de-  
signated may, as whole, be within  
two or three different districts or  
beats, the said district, beat and  
roads would thereby receive the  
amount of money from said funds as  
would accomplish the necessary re-  
pair, or said road within the said  
district or beat, and

Whereas, the heavy rains of the  
past year had done great damage to  
many of the roads and bridges in Beat  
4 and Beat 4 of Hancock County,  
and whereas, due to said heavy rains,  
bridges at Hickory Creek on Kiln-  
Pecayune Road, and at Mill Creek  
on the old Kiln-Nicholson Road we  
completely demolished, and the con-  
dition of the Kiln-Pecayune Road,  
Leetown-Caesar-Anner Road, Caesar  
Creek Crossing Road, and Necas-  
Anner Road were practically impar-  
able, and this Board being cogni-  
zant of the condition of the said  
roads and the same being school  
routes and mail routes, and wishing  
to see the said roads improved and  
said bridges reconstructed directed  
the county engineer to proceed to  
do said work, and having made the  
allowances for said work so done,  
and for all materials used in the  
construction of said bridges on said  
roads from said funds as were ex-  
pended on said roads set out above:

Be it therefore, Ordered that the  
actions of the county engineer in  
doing said work be approved, ratified  
and confirmed and that the expendi-  
tures of all funds on said roads and  
bridges in constructing and/or recon-  
structing the same, on the roads and  
bridges set out above, be and the  
same are hereby ratified and con-  
firmed, and approved.

And be it further ordered by this  
Board that the work of reconstruction  
be continued and done on the  
following roads in Hancock County,  
to-wit:

Ansley Road—Beat 1  
White Cypress, Standard, Dedeaux,  
Rocky Hill—Beat 3  
Old Kiln-Nicholson Road—Beat 2  
Lakeshore Road—Beat 5  
Fenton-Sand Hill Road—Beat 4

and  
Whereas, certain roads of the  
county in certain beats were repair-



LET'S ALL BE HAPPY!

Christmas is likely to become too prosaic to many  
of us grownups, but to boyhood's eager eyes it is  
a time of preparation and expectancy...an en-  
chanted season when the woodland is hushed  
and even ordinary tasks take on the glamor and  
joy of dragging home the Christmas tree. May  
your Christmas of 1946 be in this spirit.

## Merchants Insurance Agency

ed and reconstructed out of the gen-  
eral road fund, other than the roads  
above mentioned, the said roads in  
the other beats were not destroyed  
and made impassable by the rains of  
the past year, and the condition of  
said roads is considered good at the  
present time, and the funds were  
so urgently needed on the roads

above set out, it is, therefore, nec-  
essary to defer the fixing of the ex-  
act amount each beat, or district is  
to receive, because the same is not  
ascertainable at this time, the gen-  
eral welfare of the county being  
first considered.

Whereas, there was filed a peti-

tion of the October, 1946 meeting of

the Board of Supervisors of Han-  
cock County by a majority of the  
qualified electors of the Clermont  
Harbor, School District, a school  
district organized under the laws of  
the State of Mississippi, asking that  
the bonds of said school district in  
the sum of Seventeen Thousand Dol-  
lars (\$17,000.00) or as much thereof



## Merry Christmas

Happiness, gaiety, and mirth fill the air. Christmas carols,  
children's happy voices, bells ringing overshadow the heavy spot  
in our hearts. We put our trust in God for a better world to-  
morrow, and we realize that we have much for which to be  
thankful today.

Ortte Theatre

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as may be needed, be issued for the purpose of erecting and equipping a school building in said district as by law provided.

Whereas the Board of Supervisors of said county spread upon their minutes their intention to issue said

bonds, fixing the maximum amount of said bonds at Seventeen Thousand Dollars (\$17,000.00), and it advertised same in the Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper of general circulation in Hancock County, as per proof of publication on file, and did fix in said resolution the date upon which an election should be held in the said school district, and

Whereas, the County Election Com-

missioners of Hancock County, did cause an election to be held in the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1946, after having given three weeks notice of said election by publication, and notice thereof in the Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper established more than twelve months prior to the first publication of said notice, published and having a general circulation in Hancock County, once a week for three weeks preceding the election, and the said election was duly held in the manner provided for by law, and a majority of the qualified electors of said school district having voted in favor of said bond issue, as appears from the report of the county Election Commissioners filed with this Board, which is in the words and figures as follows, to-wit:

"STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
COUNTY OF HANCOCK  
To the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County:  
"We, the election commissioners of Hancock County beg leave to make this report, that in compliance with the order of your honorable body, made and adopted at its regular meeting, ordering that we call and cause to be held on Saturday, November 23rd, 1946 an election in the Clermont Harbor School District in Hancock County, Mississippi, the question of whether or not the bonds of said Clermont Harbor School District of Hancock County, Mississippi, shall be issued for the purpose of providing funds for the erecting and equipping a school building in the Clermont Harbor School District, said bonds to be issued as by law provided; immediately, therefore, we proceeded to call said election to be held on Saturday, November 23, 1946, and gave notice thereof, as provided for by law in the Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper published in Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, said newspaper having been established more than twelve months prior to the publication of the first notice, with a circulation in the Clermont Harbor School District of Hancock County, once a week for three weeks, and by posting notice in said School District as provided for by law, said notice being published and posted for three weeks preceding said election, which said notice is published as shown by proof of publication thereof, as follows, to-wit:  
Proof of Publication

THE SEA COAST ECHO  
A. G. Favre, Publisher.  
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
HANCOCK COUNTY.

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority, and for said County and State, JOHN DAMBORINO, Clerk of the Sea Coast Echo, a public newspaper printed and published in the City of Bay St. Louis, said County, who being duly sworn, deposes and says that publication of this notice hereunto annexed has been made in said publication—weeks, to-wit:  
In No. 43, Vol. 55, Dated October 25, 1946  
In No. 45, Vol. 55, Dated November 1, 1946  
In No. 44, Vol. 55, Dated November 8, 1946  
In No. 45, Vol. 55, Dated November 15, 1946  
Said publication commencing on the 25 day of October, 1946, and ending on the 15th day of Nov., 1946.  
John Damborino  
Clerk.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 16 day of December, A. D. 1946.  
(SEAL) Dan M. Russell, Jr.  
Notary Public.

NOTICE OF ELECTION BOND  
ISSUE FOR CLERMONT HARBOR SCHOOL

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Miss., at its October Meeting, 1946, a special election will be held at the voting place of the Clermont Harbor Precinct in said Clermont Harbor School District, according to law, on Saturday, November 23rd, 1946 to vote on the question of whether or not

the said district shall issue Clermont Harbor School District Bonds in the amount of \$17,000.00 (Seventeen Thousand Dollars) for the purpose of providing funds to erect, repair and equip a school building in the said Clermont Harbor School District, all as provided for by law.  
ROBT. L. GENIN

JOHN D. MOLLERE  
Election Commissioners, Hancock County, Miss.  
and in conformity to said notice, an election was duly and regularly held in said district on Saturday, November 23rd, 1946, as provided for by law, submitting to the qualified electors of the Clermont Harbor School District, the question of whether or not the bonds of the Clermont Harbor School District in the full sum of Seventeen Thousand Dollars (\$17,000.00) to the erecting and equipping of a school building in said school district; and the results of said election shows that twenty-eight (28) qualified electors voted for the bond issue and none voted against the bond issue. There being a total of thirty-seven (37) qualified electors in said school district.

"Respectfully submitted,  
E. J. Arceneaux  
Robert L. Genin  
John D. Mollere  
Election Commissioners,  
Hancock County, Mississippi.  
OFFICIAL BALLOT  
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
HANCOCK COUNTY  
SPECIAL ELECTION  
Saturday, Nov. 23rd, 1946

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Miss., at its October Meeting, 1946, a special election will be held at the voting place of the Clermont Harbor Precinct in said Clermont Harbor School District, according to law, on Saturday, November 23rd, 1946 to vote on the question of whether or not the said district shall issue Clermont Harbor School District Bonds in the amount of \$17,000.00 (Seventeen Thousand Dollars) for the purpose of providing funds to erect, repair and equip a school building in the said Clermont Harbor School District, all as provided for by law.

For the Bond Issue..... ( )  
Against the Bond Issue..... ( )  
"The results of said election being as follows:  
For the issuance of said bonds... 28  
Against the issuance of said Bonds..... 0

"Making a total of twenty-eight votes cast in said election, and this being a majority of the qualified electors of the Clermont Harbor School District voting in favor of the issuance of and sale of said bonds; there being a total of thirty-seven qualified electors in said school district.

"Respectfully submitted,  
E. J. Arceneaux  
Robert L. Genin  
John D. Mollere  
Election Commissioners,  
Hancock County, Mississippi."

Whereas, this said Board of Supervisors does now find and determine that the assessed valuation of the taxable property as ascertained by the last complete assessment for taxation is \$119,780.87, and that the total outstanding indebtedness of said school district, both bonded and floating, is none, and that this bond issue of Seventeen Thousand Dollars (\$17,000.00) when added to such existing indebtedness, will make a total outstanding indebtedness, including both bonded and floating of said school district for school purposes of Seventeen Thousand Dollars (\$17,000.00), which indebtedness the board finds and adjudges to be less than fifteen percent (15%) of the assessed valuation of taxable property of said school district as ascertained by the last complete assessment for taxation; and the Board further finds and adjudges that the amount of this Bond issue added to all of the outstanding indebtedness both bonded and floating of said school district for school purposes, does not exceed fifteen percent (15%) of the amount of the assessed valuation of the taxable property of said school district as ascertained by the last completed assessment for taxation, including any indebtedness that may have been incurred by said school district, or other district or districts.

Whereas, the Board of Supervisors does now find and determine that it is necessary that funds be provided for the purposes aforesaid and that no funds are available for such purposes, except by the issuance of bonds of said school district.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved and ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, as follows:

SECTION 1. That proceeding under the authority of the Constitution and Statutes of the State of Mississippi, particularly Section 6532 of the Mississippi Code of 1942, there shall be and there are hereby authorized, ordered and directed to be issued, bonds of Clermont Harbor School District of Hancock County, Mississippi, in the aggregate principal sum and amount of Seventeen Thousand Dollars (\$17,000.00), to provide funds to erect and equip a school building for said school district; the said bonds shall bear date of January 1, 1947, and shall bear interest from date thereof and until paid, at a legal rate to be fixed by this board at the time the said bonds are sold, payable July 1st, 1947, and semi-annually thereafter on July 1st and January 1st of each year, provided, however, that no interest shall accrue on said bonds after the respective maturity dates thereof, unless said bonds be presented for payment at maturity and be not then paid. Interest accruing on said bonds on and prior to the respective maturity dates thereof shall be payable on presentation and surrender of the interest coupons to be attached to said bonds, as said coupons respectively become due. Both principal of and interest on said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the County Depository in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi. Said bonds shall be of the denomination of \$1,000.00 (One Thousand

Dollars) each and shall mature without option of prior payment in the amounts and at the times following, to-wit:			
Bond Nos.	Amount	Maturity	
1	\$1,000.00	January 1, 1948	6
2	1,000.00	January 1st, 1949	7
3	1,000.00	January 1st, 1950	8
4	1,000.00	January 1st, 1951	9
5	1,000.00	January 1st, 1952	10
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MAKE GOOD  
CHEER FOR

Christmas

One need not be told it is  
Christmastime. The glowing  
faces of friend and  
stranger alike bespeak it.  
It gives us the same thrill as  
of old to wish all our friends,  
and those who are still to  
become our friends,  
a very Merry Christmas.

J. E. Loiarano Grocery  
and  
A. & J. Food Store



Ho! Ho!  
for Christmas!

Merrily, merrily,  
jolly good friends,  
and a grand and  
glorious holiday  
to you all!

Maufray's  
Hardware Store



Carefree  
HOLIDAY SEASON

• Right now it's time to lay  
aside business cares and all  
that is complicated and get  
down to simple things. A little  
boy on the floor under the  
Christmas tree watching his  
electric train whizz past, the  
happy faces of little girls singing  
Christmas carols, boys  
coasting down the hill.  
Let's catch that spirit! Merry  
Christmas to you, and you,  
and you!

WELCOME INN  
Waveland, Mississippi



'Twas THE  
NIGHT BEFORE  
Christmas

May  
CHRISTMAS  
Bring You  
JOY  
AND GLADNESS

Bickham  
Drug Co.



Merry  
Christmas  
Folks

The snowman will fade as the  
weather warms, and too soon  
we forget the joys of Christmas  
and its mellowing effect upon  
our lives. It is our hope that  
this Christmas of 1946 will  
bring you many a blessing in  
the weeks and months ahead.

Benigno's  
Barber  
Shop



MERRY  
CHRISTMAS

May  
countless blessings  
bring true joy  
to  
you and yours  
at  
Christmastime.

Lee's  
Service Station



Merry  
Christmas  
Folks

The snowman will fade as the  
weather warms, and too soon  
we forget the joys of Christmas  
and its mellowing effect upon  
our lives. It is our hope that  
this Christmas of 1946 will  
bring you many a blessing in  
the weeks and months ahead.

Benigno's  
Barber  
Shop



Merry Christmas  
and a Happy New Year

Globe Laundry

You Have Phoned 160  
DO IT AGAIN!



Merry Christmas

May the glorious light of peace and love  
and joy shine upon you and those dear to  
you as you join together in the celebration  
of His birthday.

Red Star Sea Food

Henry Colson

Victor Colson



Merry Christmas  
TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

Styles change, methods change, but  
Christmas—never! Beneath it all is  
the same old love of man for his  
folks and his neighbors, the same  
old dream of the day when peace  
and good will encompass all the  
earth.

So now in that changeless season  
of Christmas we greet our friends  
and neighbors, as so often before,  
with that timeworn message of  
cheer and good fellowship, MERRY  
CHRISTMAS!

LEADER

FURNITURE & APPLIANCE CO.  
R. R. Avenue, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

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16 1,000.00 January 1st, 1963  
17 1,000.00 January 1st, 1964

Section 2. That the said bonds shall be executed by the signature of the President of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, countersigned by the signature of the Clerk of said Board, under the seal of said Board of Supervisors, and, for that purpose, the seal of the Chancery Clerk of said County is hereby adopted as and for the seal of said Board of Supervisors. The interest coupons to be attached to said bonds shall be executed by the facsimile signatures of said officers, which said facsimile signatures the said officers shall, by the execution of said bonds, adopt as and for their own proper signatures, respectively, and the said bonds and coupons shall be in substantially the following form, to-wit:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
COUNTY OF HANCOCK  
CLERMONT HARBOR SCHOOL  
DISTRICT

No. \_\_\_\_\_ \$1,000.00  
Clermont Harbor School District of the County of Hancock, in the State of Mississippi, acting herein by and through the Board of Supervisors of said County, its governing authority, acknowledges itself indebted and, for value received, hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000.00) in lawful money of the United States of America, with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of \_\_\_\_\_ per centum (\_\_\_\_%) per annum, payable on the first day of January and the first day of July in each year until the principal of this bond shall have been paid, provided, however, that no interest shall accrue on this bond after the maturity date hereof unless this bond shall be duly presented for payment and be not then paid. Interest accruing on this bond on and prior to the maturity date hereof shall be payable upon presentation and surrender of the interest coupons hereto attached as they severally become due.

Both principal and interest on this bond are payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the County depository in the City of Bay St. Louis, State of Mississippi, and for the prompt payment of this bond and the interest thereon, according to the terms hereof, the full faith, credit and resources of said School District are hereby irrevocably pledged.

This bond is one of a series of Seventeen Bonds, all of like date, tenor and effect, except as to maturity, numbered from one (1) to seventeen (17), both inclusive, aggregating Seventeen Thousand Dollars, (\$17,000.00), issued under the authority of the Constitution and Statutes of the State of Mississippi, including among others, Section 6532 of the Mississippi Code of 1942, for the purpose of providing funds to erect and equip a school building for

said School District, is issued under and pursuant to resolutions duly adopted and proceedings legally had by the Board of Supervisors of said County on the 16th day of December, 1946.

It is hereby certified recited and represented that all acts, conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond, in order to make the same a legal, valid and binding obligation of said School District, have been done, have happened and have been performed in due and regular form, time and manner, as required by law, that due provision has been made for the levy and collection annually of tax sufficiently to pay the interest on this bond as it falls due; and that the issue of bonds of which this bond is one, together with all other indebtedness of said District, does not exceed any statutory or constitutional limit of indebtedness. In Testimony Whereof, the Clerk of said School District of Hancock County, in the State of Mississippi, has executed this bond by causing it to be signed by the President of the Board of Supervisors of said County, countersigned by the Clerk of said Board, under the seal

of said Board (and for the purpose of the execution of this bond, the seal of the Chancery Court of said County is hereby adopted as and for the seal of said Board of Supervisors), and has caused and annexed interest coupons to be executed by the lithographed facsimile signatures of said officers, and this bond to be dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1947.

CLERMONT HARBOR SCHOOL DISTRICT  
County of Hancock, State of Mississippi

By \_\_\_\_\_  
President, Board of Supervisors.

Countersigned: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk, Board of Supervisors.

(Form of Coupon)

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
On the First day of January, July, 19\_\_\_\_, the Clermont Harbor School District of the County of Hancock, in the State of Mississippi, acting by and through the Board of Supervisors of said County will pay to bearer the sum of \$\_\_\_\_, in lawful money of the United States of America at the County Depository in the City of Bay St. Louis, State of Mississippi, for interest due that date on said County Bond, dated \_\_\_\_\_, and numbered \_\_\_\_\_.



## CHRISTMAS WISHES

by the  
THOUSAND

we send to all our friends  
this Yule Season of 1946.  
May yours be indeed a  
MERRY CHRISTMAS

Porter's Service  
Station



THE GIFTS OF THE MAGI  
FORESHADOWED THE CHRISTMAS.  
GIVING OF TODAY.

A BEAUTIFUL SENTIMENT THAT DOES  
MORE TO PROMOTE THE SPIRIT OF  
BROTHERLY LOVE THAN ALL  
OTHER INFLUENCES COMBINED.

THE HAPPY SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS  
IS DEEP IN OUR HEARTS.  
LET IT ECHO IN THE  
STRENGTH OF OUR VOICES AS WE  
GREET OUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS  
ON CHRISTMAS MORNING.

**Koury's**  
MEN'S AND BOYS WEAR EXCLUSIVELY  
GULFPORT, MISS.

CLERMONT HARBOR SCHOOL DISTRICT  
County of Hancock, State of Mississippi

By \_\_\_\_\_  
President, Board of Supervisors.

Countersigned: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk, Board of Supervisors.

Section 3. That in order to make provision for the payment of the principal of and the interest on the said Clermont Harbor School District Bonds of 1947, as the same respectively mature and accrue, the said County of Hancock, acting herein by and through the Board of Supervisors of said County, does hereby irrevocably pledge that a tax shall be levied annually upon all of the taxable property of and within said Clermont Harbor School District of Hancock County, Mississippi, sufficient to pay off and retire the principal of and interest on said bonds as they become due.

Section 4. That the bonds herein authorized to be issued shall be validated under the provisions of Section 4314 of the Mississippi Code of 1942, and to that end the Clerk of this Board is hereby authorized and instructed to make up a transcript of the proceedings had in this behalf

and to certify same to the State's Bond Attorney.

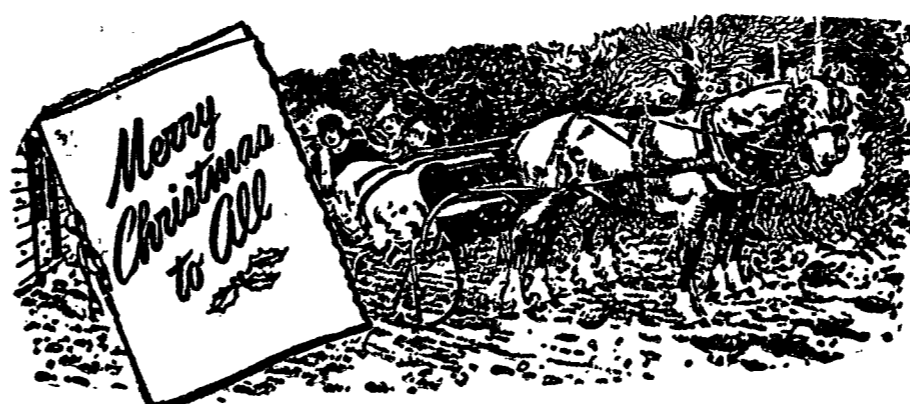
Section 5. That when said bonds shall have been prepared and executed as in this resolution directed, they shall have been prepared and executed as in this resolution directed, they shall be registered by the Clerk of this Board in a book kept in his office for that purpose, as required by law, and the said Clerk shall endorse upon the reverse side of each of said bonds a certificate in substantially the following form:

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

I, A. G. Favre, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors within and for the County of Hancock in the State of Mississippi, do hereby certify that the within bond has been registered in my office, as required by law.

I do further certify that the within bond has been validated and confirmed by decree of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, rendered on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

Witness my hand and the seal of my office at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.



## Graddock's Tavern



JOYOUS  
YULETIDE

Here's wishing that the light  
of the season's cheer will glow  
through all you do, adding greatly  
to your Christmas happiness.

Coast Electric  
Power Association



CHRISTMAS IS A TIME WHEN OLD LOYALTIES ARE NOT ONLY STRENGTHENED BUT REMEMBERED. WE WANT YOU TO KNOW HOW MUCH WE APPRECIATE YOUR CONFIDENCE IN US, AND HOW EARNESTLY WE WISH FOR YOU A VERY JOYOUS CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY.

Hahey Drug Co.

*Our Earnings went Skimming*

The amount of money paid out to furnish you with telephone service is increasing faster than the amount taken in. That's because telephone materials, wages, services, and new building costs have all gone up tremendously, while telephone rates have remained as low or lower than they were many years ago. Telephone earnings today are not only the lowest in history, but are dangerously low despite a record volume of business. Reasonable earnings are needed to safeguard the full usefulness of the telephone for you and your community.

SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY  
INCORPORATED

*They've Declined  
DANGEROUSLY  
LOW*

Clerk, Board of Supervisors  
Hancock County, Miss.

Section 6. That this resolution and order shall be in force and effect from and after its adoption.

Supervisor Wheat seconded the motion to adopt the foregoing resolution and the question put to a roll call vote, the result was as follows:

Supervisor Murphy voted Aye.  
Supervisor Wheat voted Aye.  
Supervisor Shaw voted Aye.  
Supervisor Orte voted Aye.  
Supervisor Necaise Voted Aye.

Whereas, this Board at its November meeting directed the Clerk of this Board to advertise for sealed bids in the manner provided for by law for furnishing to Hancock County, One (1) Used Austin Western Motor Patrol, or its equal, and

Whereas, said advertisement was had in the Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper with a general circulation in Hancock County, in the manner provided for by law, and in pursuance of said order, all as appears from said proof of publication on file in the office of the Clerk of this Board, and

Whereas, J. A. McNeil Supply Co. submitted to this Board the following bid, to-wit:

"Jackson, Miss.  
November 29, 1946  
Hon. Board of Supervisors

Bay St. Louis, Mississippi  
Gentlemen:

"In accordance with your advertisement for bids to be received for furnishing one used 99-M Austin Western Motor Patrol, we are pleased to quote you on the following:

"We will deliver to you one completely rebuilt 99-M Austin-Western Power Grader, equipped with Scarifier, for the sum of \$7,453.50

"This machine is in accordance with attached specifications, and delivery can be completed immediately upon receipt of your order.

"Yours truly  
J. A. McNEIL

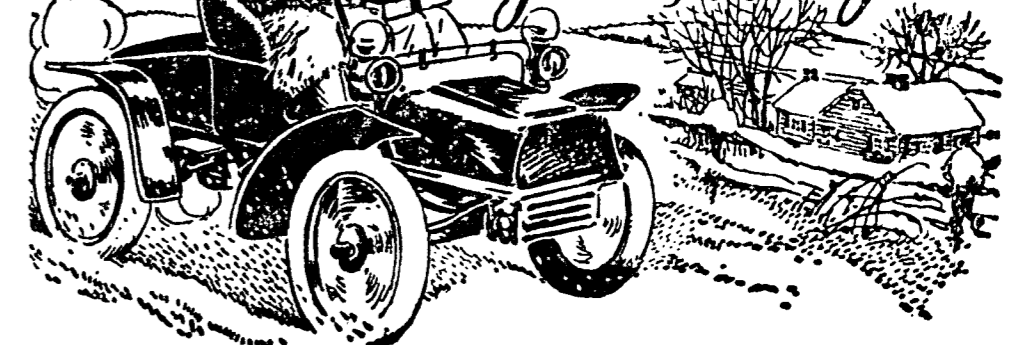
and it appearing that the bid of J. A. McNeil Supply Company is the lowest and best bid, it is, therefore, ordered that the bid of J. A. McNeil Supply Company, be and the same is hereby accepted.

Be It Ordered by the Board that Dr. C. M. Shipp, County Health Officer of Hancock County be and he is hereby directed to make application for the admission of Helen Slade into the Mississippi State Sanatorium. This Board agreeing to pay for the care of said Helen Slade during the time that she is a patient in said Sanatorium.

Be It Ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until the Board is in course.

CHAS. B. MURPHY, President.

## Old Fashioned Yuletide Greetings



It isn't always stylish to be old fashioned, but there are times when it's very genuine—and Christmas is one of them. Yes, folks, we wish you an old fashioned Christmas this year ... the best one of them all

Gulf Chevrolet Co.

"See Al Voight Today"  
Bay St. Louis, Miss. Telephone 102

# NOVEMBER DISBURSEMENTS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Jesse A. Lott, Bridge Tender	\$30.00
John Rutherford, Bridge Tender	30.00
Mrs. Emma Baxter, Bridge Tender	20.00
Sam L. Favre, Salary	115.65
Claud Monti, Salary	140.20
Roland Lafontaine, Salary	140.20
Ed Kimmel, Salary	148.20
George L. Cuevas, Salary	137.50
Leonie Monti, Salary	60.00
Dr. A. P. Smith, Jail Physician	25.00
J. R. Rollins, Salary	238.60
Louise Crawford, Librarian	49.40
C. C. Stone, Salary	169.00
Ethel Lachner, Salary	70.30
Knights of Columbus, Rent	150.00
Forster Commagere, Salary	157.30
Asa Fayard, Salary	70.30
Annie Lois May, Salary	70.30
It. L. Genin, Atty. for Board	50.00
A. G. Favre, County Registrar	258.60
Wilton Ladner, Salary	125.00
John Kackler, Rent	50.00
Chris Ladner, Salary	150.00
A. G. Favre, Recording	10.00
Discharges	148.13
Hall Seals, Salary	3.20
Renalder Ladner, Labor	3.20
Alex Peterson, Labor	3.20
Clifton Ladner, Labor	6.40
A. D. Ladner, Labor	28.80
R. D. Ladner, Labor	38.40
Sam Mayfield, Labor	12.80
Alvin McGathen, Labor	38.40
Jack Cuevas, Labor	32.00
Aaron Peterson, Labor	67.20
Dennis Cuevas, Labor	35.20
Alfred Cuevas, Labor	44.80
Lemuel Cuevas, Labor	75.00
Aaron Ladner, Salary	75.00
Prentiss Ladner, Salary	10.00
Fahey's Mortuary Service, Ambulance trip	35.00
Fahey's Mortuary Service, Pauper's burial	30.00
Fahey's Mortuary Service, Ambulance trip	15.00
Fahey's Mortuary Service, Ambulance trip	12.00
Fahey's Mortuary Service, Ambulance trip	-

Ambulance trip	18.00
James A. Evans, Dental Service	4.00
Dr. Bedford F. Floyd, Medical Service	11.00
Joseph Benvenuti, Labor and material	295.00



Christmas  
is here!

## Peace and Good Will

Lighting the way to better  
fellowship and good will  
towards all is Christmas.  
That it may be a truly  
happy Christmas for each  
of you is our ardent wish.

## WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE

Lamar Otis, Owner

Stribbling Bros. Machinery Co. Supplies	40.11
Edward Heitzmann, Material and labor	17.50
H. C. Parker Inc., Office Equipment	97.00
Coast Electric Power Assn., Electric service	2.20
Tom L. Ketchings Co., Office supplies	9.51
Tom L. Ketchings Co., Office Supplies	11.48
Manuel Necaise, Refund Excess Lid-Tax sale	17.42
Lugh Ladner, Gravel	18.80
Sam Ladner, Gravel	18.00
Lawrence Ladner, Labor	38.40
Oswald Ladner, Labor	19.20
Holland Ladner, Labor	12.30
Arnold Ladner, Labor	12.30
Alcide Hoda, Labor	16.00
Ferdinand Ladner, Labor	35.20
Wilton (Bill) Ladner, Labor	6.40
Avira Saucier, Labor	24.40
Alphonse Saucier, Labor	25.60
Elmer Ladner, Labor	3.20
Aaron Mal'ez, Labor	16.00
H. J. Saucier, Labor	16.00
Monti-Carver Plumbing Co., Plumbing	600.09
Monti-Carver Plumbing Co., Plumbing	172.64
Roger Heitzmann, Labor and material	54.95
Radio & Electric Service, Supplies and Labor	50.28
Monti-Carver Plumbing Co., Supplies	65.11
Goodyear Yellow Pine Co., Lumber	186.75
Williams Yellow Pine Co., Lumber	138.84
Sam Whitfield, Truck Hire	122.00
Ed. Green, Tractor Hire & Driver	173.00
Stirley G. een, Labor	19.20
Lawrence Lafontaine, Labor	9.60
Faulkner Concrete Pine Co., Supplies	158.70
Faulkner Concrete Pine Co., Supplies	205.50
Johnson Shaw, Reimbursement Road Supplies	1.27
Dr. C. M. Shipp, County Health Officer	188.33
Dr. C. C. Shipp, Contingent Expense	191.67
Wayne Alliston, Salary	50.00
Mrs. Eugenie Allison Registrar of births and deaths	27.40
Superior Products Co., Supplies	260.02
Arceneaux Super Service, Gasoline	17.28
Arceneaux Super Service, Supplies	117.99
J. A. McNeil Supply Co., Repairs to Road Equipment	602.36
Dennis Osbourn, Repairs to Poorhouse	15.00
Mrs. John Rutherford, Keeper of Poorhouse	281.25
Aaron Peterson, Labor	12.30
Lovance Martin, Labor	12.60
Vincent Lagroue, Labor	15.20
Adolph Favre, Jr., Labor	121.40
Chester C. Lee, Hire of Trucks and Drivers	6,025.50
Elmer Necaise, Labor	115.20
Frank E. Ladner, Motor Patrol Operator	150.90
Chester C. Lee, Rent of drag line	3,250.00
Willie Hoda, Salary	150.00
Olige Necaise, Labor	124.80
Armozine Ladner, Labor	51.20
Colen McCrimmon, Labor	20.80
Chester C. Lee, Gravel	1,030.60
Michel J. Necaise, Bridge Foreman	150.00
Rosaire Hoda, Labor	110.40
Renalder Stiglett, Labor	105.90
Alphonse Necaise, Labor	110.40
Hollis Cuevas, Labor	96.00
Dazie Hoda, Labor	110.40
Theophile Hoda, Labor	100.80
Alva Hoda, Labor	105.60
Thomas Cuevas, Labor	91.20
Marvin Bobinger, Labor	81.60
Agnel Stiglett, Labor	105.60
Alcide (Tip) Necaise, Labor	96.00
Ernest Lott, Labor	36.00
Prentiss Lott, Labor	36.00
John B. Martin, Labor	36.00
W. J. Fleming, Labor	14.00
E. J. Moran, Labor	18.00
Clinton Martin, Labor and reimbursement for gravel	140.00
W. E. McQueen, Labor	32.80
L. W. Mitchell, Labor	12.80
C. P. Bounds, Labor	32.00
Artis Bibbo, Truck Hire and Driver	130.00
Chris Luxich, Truck Hire and driver	120.00
Charles Ruffin, Labor	60.00
Putnam Dawsey, Labor	56.00
Ora Holden, Labor	40.00
Leonard Dawsey, Labor	56.00
George Ladner, Labor	4.00
Joseph Ladner, Labor	12.00
Dolph Zengaring, Labor	12.00
August Moran, Labor	6.00
Ernest Carver, Painting	56.25
Frank Miller, Painting	21.60
Frank Miller, Paint	36.00
Asa Fayard, Gas and oil	15.75
George Curet, Supplies	35.61
George Curet, Supplies	126.10
Sam Ladner, Gas and oil	97.50
The Sea Coast Echo, Supplies	57.80
The Sea Coast Echo, Supplies	68.50
The Sea Coast Echo, Supplies	9.00
The Sea Coast Echo, Supplies	3.85
The Sea Coast Echo, Legal Publications	233.72
John A. Egloff Stamps, etc.	18.86
John A. Egloff, Victualing Prisoners	256.50
Gaston Lee, Hauling	120.00
Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	9.40
Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	31.45
Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	13.59
Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	16.10
Mississippi Power Co., Electric Service	5.24
Mississippi Power Co., Electric Service	8.25
Arceneaux Super Service, Supplies	236.50
Arceneaux Super Service, Supplies	305.31
Arceneaux Super Service, Gasoline	21.00
Radio & Electric Service,	

## The Meaning Of The First Christmas



The beauty of Christmas has come down to us through the birth of the Savior who taught the world that love is stronger than hate and good mightier than evil. May this prevailing spirit of good will embrace us all during this joyous holiday season.

## Saint Stanislaus

Electrical Repairs	8.75	Joe Garcia, Labor	48.60	Cases	4.15	Attendance	36.00
W. A. McDonald & Sons, Supplies	42.45	Fritz Garcia, Labor	46.00	F. Fuente, State Fail Cases	3.40	John B. Wheat, Attendance	36.00
Charlie Lee, Labor	6.90	Rudolph Luxich, Truck hire and labor	140.00	L. B. Capdepon, State Fail Cases	7.55	Lander Necaise, Attendance	36.00
Johnny Moran, Lumber	53.64	Elijah Yarborough, Labor	44.80	G. V. Price, State Fail Cases	11.60	Ed. Ortie, Attendance	24.00
Johnny Moran, Piling	60.00	John Lafontaine, Labor	28.80	Henry Fayard, State Fail Cases	7.40	A. G. Favre, Attendance	30.00
Elliot Casanova, Salary	132.30	W. C. O'Farrell, Labor	12.80	A. G. Favre, Treasurer	100.00	John Egloff, Attendance	18.00
Natural Gas Division, Gas	2.70	Malcolm Green, Labor	9.60	A. G. Favre, Attendance	65.90	Chas. B. Murphy, Inspection	84.00
Lee's Service, Repairs to Equipment	160.93	Alton Luxich, Labor	16.00	Chancery Court	130.00	Johnson Shaw, Inspection	80.70
C. C. Stone, Reimbursement for supplies	73.75	Norvin Kelly, Labor	3.20	Alf Kennedy, Truck Hire and driver	130.00	Ed. Ortie, Inspection	80.70
E. B. Richardson, Labor	32.00	August Ruhr, Salary	111.40	Coast Electric Power Assn., Electric Service	2.20	Lander Necaise, Inspection	68.70
J. A. McNeil Supply Co., Road Supplies	139.10	John Necaise, Salary	140.20	John A. Egloff, Attendance	2.00	Louisville & Nashville R. R. Freight	198.85
Stribbling Bros. Machinery Co., Pete's Electric Service, Supplies	7.25	Frank Klein, Labor	20.00	Chancery Court	324.00	Lander Necaise, Reimbursement-Repairs to equipment	21.53
J. A. McNeil Supply Co., Rental on Motor Grader	450.00	A. G. Favre, Postage	30.02	The Bay Mercantile Co., Supplies for poorhouse inmates	56.14	Tom Bourgeois, Watchman	70.00
Alphonse Ladner, Labor	86.40	Tom L. Ketchings Co., Office Supplies	3.52	Hubert Dedgoux, Labor	25.60	E. M. Walker, Lumber	11.88
Road & Bridge Fund, Transfer	5,273.98	Monti-Carver Plumbing Co., Kramer Motor Co. Supplies	5.00	Magnolia State Supply Co., Material & Supplies	14.86	Sea Coast Echo, Subscriptions	2.00
Sam Ladner, Truck Hire and driver	60.00	Labor & Material	6.40	Magnolia State Supply Co., Material & Supplies	49.64	Pearl River, Jr. Agri. College, Ad valorem tax	4,939.16
Herbert Tartavouille, Labor	67.60	Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	7.09	Mississippi Power Co., Electric Service	15.77	Veterans Administration is operating 24 former Army and Navy hospitals to meet the growing need for hospital space.	
Gus Tartavouille, Truck hire	147.00	Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	13.70	Gulf Chevrolet Co. Supplies	431.78	Veterans Administration cleared over 84,600 requests for physical examinations during September for pensions or compensations, the highest total to date.	
Tom Necaise, Labor	59.60	Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	2.84	Scaffidi Brothers, Supplies	4.13		
Cage Pepper, Labor	35.30	C. O. Dufour, Costs	3.90	W. A. McDonald & Sons, Supplies	12.50		
Carl R. Richardson, Labor	17.60	John Egloff, Costs	4.60	Seawall Fund, Transfer	7,500.00		
Ray Michael Bourgeois, Labor	50.00	L. B. Capdepon, Costs	24.95	Civilian Public Service Corp., Material and Supplies	209.30		
William Yarborough, Labor	34.00	Henry Fayard, Costs	16.20	Chas. B. Murphy, Attendance	36.00		
Luther Perkins, Truck hire and driver	150.00	G. V. Price, Costs	39.20	Johnson Shaw,			
		Wilton Ladner, State Fail					

Thanks,  
Friends.  
**MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**  
1946



MAY THE TREASURE OF  
ACCUMULATED MEMORIES  
of Christmases past and gone  
gladden your Christmas celebration  
this year. We wish for  
you all the good things for  
which Christmas has always  
stood.

Mauffray-Dry Goods



ALL OF OUR  
FOLKS ARE HOPING  
THAT ALL OF  
YOUR FOLKS WILL  
SPEND A MIGHTY  
Merry Christmas

and  
Happy New Year

**Kern's 5 & 10c Store**

131 MAIN STREET NEAR POST OFFICE

SANTA CLAUS IS COMING  
TO TOWN

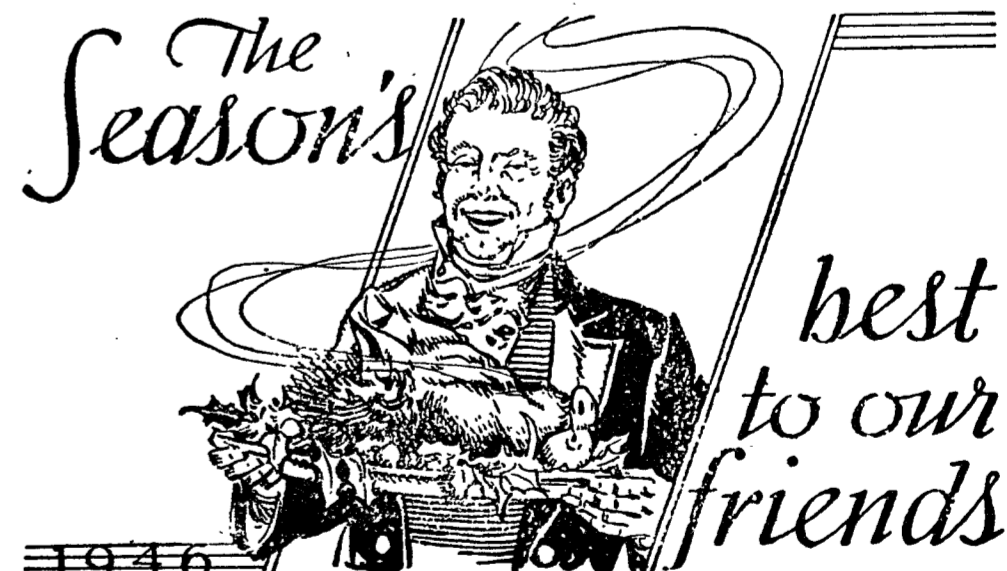


**MERRY \* CHRISTMAS \***

## A SPECIAL TRIP FOR ST. NICHOLAS

Santa is making a special trip this year,  
and he's coming direct to your home  
laden with merry Christmas wishes  
from us to you.

**A. & G. Theatre**



How well we remember those old  
Fashioned Christmas dinners—  
father at one end of the table; mother at  
the other end, and the children in between,  
wondering if father would ever get done  
carving the turkey. And what mince pies!

Wouldn't you like a Christmas like that  
this year of 1946? We hope that your  
Christmas is as much like that as the  
changing times will permit, and that all  
the joys of the old days will abound.

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**H. G. Hill Stores**



## SING A SONG OF CHISTMAS, OF PEACE AND GLADNESS

It's Christmas . . . and we're hoping it  
will be the best one you've ever known  
. . . with happiness for you and yours  
that will last throughout the year!

## ANDERSON'S Men's Wear Gulfport

### Improvements on Building Now Completed

The law office of D. M. Russell  
is completed and is most attractive.  
It is brick and has three rooms fin-  
ished in plaster and furnished with

attractive furnishings. In the center  
is the reception room and consulting  
room and an office where Miss Ame-  
lia Marier is at the desk to receive  
clients. The entire structure is at-  
tractive and convenient. The rear  
office is leased to Dr. Paul R. Grae-  
ber who is now located here.



Hi, Ho, and  
A Merry Christmas

Hang the holly high in every window — the  
mistletoe over every door and to everyone a  
Merry Christmas!

*Pitalo's Cash Grocery*

### P. T. A. GIVES PROGRAMS, THEME, CHARACTER BUILDING

On Tuesday, November 14, Mrs.  
Grady Perkins led the monthly P.  
T. A. meeting program. The theme  
for this year's study is Character  
Building. Mrs. Perkins evaluated  
the important part the building of  
character plays in our daily lives,  
and closed by saying that character  
building is a lifetime work.

Mrs. Richard Shadoin followed  
with a talk on "Character Building  
the American Way." She listed the  
Jr. Red Cross, Boy and Girl Scouts,  
Campfire Girls, 4-H Clubs, Y. W.  
C. A., Y. M. C. A. and PTA as im-  
portant factors in character build-  
ing.

Mrs. H. B. Duckworth's topic was  
the "Influence of the home on the  
character of the child." Home  
life and environment have more in-  
fluence on the child's character than  
any other factors.

Mrs. William Witter, membership  
chairman announced that the P. T.  
A. was within 29 of having met its  
membership goal and urged that it  
might register 100 percent before De-  
cember.

### The Holy Thorn Of Glastonbury

In honor of the Hawthorn, which  
legendarily shielded Christ while  
he rested in the woods before the  
crucifixion, Joseph of Arimathea  
chose a thorn staff when he start-  
ed on his long journey to Britain  
shortly after the death of Christ.  
Arriving at last at his new home  
in Glastonbury, Joseph stuck his  
walking stick into the ground; the  
staff began to grow and soon  
acquired the habit of producing  
flowers each Christmas Eve.



The first literary mention of the  
thorn is contained in Hearn's *History  
and Antiquities of Glastonbury*  
published in 1722. In this work, Mr.  
Eyston states: "Whether it sprang  
from St. Joseph of Arimathea's dry  
staff, I cannot find, but beyond all  
dispute it sprang up miracu-  
lously."

When Britain adopted the Grego-  
rian calendar in 753, 2,000 persons  
assembled at Glastonbury on De-  
cember 25—new style—to see if the  
Holy Thorn would bloom in agree-  
ment with the new calendar; when  
it did not, many refused to partici-  
pate in the usual observances of  
Christmas. The evil of changing cal-  
endars was proven when the thorn  
blossomed on January 5—Christ-  
mas Eve—old style—and many  
ministers in the vicinity of Glaston-  
bury appeased their congregations  
by announcing that Christmas  
would be observed according to the  
old calendar.

A cutting of the Glastonbury thorn  
was brought to America in 1900 and  
planted near St. Alban's school in  
Washington, D. C., by the late  
Right Rev. Henry Gates Satterlee.  
The cutting grew into a tree, blos-  
soming for the first time in De-  
cember, 1918; since then, it has  
blossomed each year at Christmas-  
time and attracts thousands of  
visitors annually.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 5218

Notice is hereby given that letters  
of Administration on the estate of  
Jacob M. Green, deceased, were  
granted to the undersigned by the  
Chancery Court of Harrison Coun-  
ty, Mississippi, on the 10th day of  
October, 1946, and all persons hav-  
ing claims against said estate are  
hereby notified to present their  
claims to the Clerk of said Court  
and to have them probated and al-  
lowed within six months from this  
date, failure to do so will bar the  
claim.

This the 6th day of December,  
1946.

MRS. LAURA GREEN,  
Administratrix.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Executive Notice to Creditors of Dav-  
id R. Weston, Deceased.

Letters testamentary having been  
granted on the 2nd day of December,  
1946 by the Chancery Court of Han-  
cock County, Mississippi to the un-  
dersigned as Executrix upon the es-  
tate of David R. Weston, deceased,  
notice is hereby given to all persons  
having claims against said estate to  
present the same to the Clerk of said  
court for probate and registration ac-  
cording to law within six months  
from this date, or they will be for-  
ever barred.

This the sixth day of December,  
1946.

MRS. PAULINE GOSSELIN  
WESTON



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CHRISTMAS  
GREETINGS 1946

Christmas lights shed  
a glow unknown  
at any other time  
of the year.  
The same lights,  
after Christmas,  
have lost their charm,  
so, you see  
it is really the  
Christmas spirit  
that lights our homes!  
We wish you  
every happiness  
this Christmas season  
of 1946.

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### Music Students Clinic Held At Bay High School

Under the sponsorship of the Mis-  
sissippi Music Educators Association,  
a program of regional clinics will be  
held this year all over the state.  
Every year this organization holds  
a state wide Band Clinic composed  
of about one hundred and eighty se-  
lected musicians. These musicians  
are usually chosen because of their  
better-than-average ability to per-  
form.

The association decided that it  
would divide the state into eight  
parts. Each section would hold a  
regional clinic in their respective  
cities, thereby giving each member  
of a high school band, an opportunity  
to attend a clinic.

The Southern region includes the  
following bands: Hattiesburg, Pica-  
yune, Bay High, St. Stanislaus, Gul-  
port, Biloxi, Ocean Springs, Pasca-  
goula and Moss Point.

Under the direction of Mr. Dan  
Mason and Mr. "Pat" Rooney, the  
first regional clinic for the Southern  
Region was held Saturday, Decem-  
ber 7, at Bay St. Louis in the Bay  
High School. This clinic was com-  
posed entirely of about 20 cornet  
and trumpet players, and approxi-



Kind  
remembrances  
at Christmastime.  
May the  
Christmas of 1946  
be among  
the most joyous  
you have ever known.

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The Yuletide Season brings joy-  
ous Greetings to all our customers  
and an appreciation for the con-  
siderations we have enjoyed  
during the past year. Our Good  
Wishes to you and yours.



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mately 10 Trombone players. Stu-  
dents representing Bay Hi were  
Mary Casey, Milford Favre, Billy  
Rae Bennett and Monville Maskew.  
Clinics for other instruments will be  
held at a later date, in different  
towns of the states.  
The officers of the Mississippi Mu-  
sic Educators Association are await-  
ing the results of this venture to see

if it is the way to help these young  
musicians in their efforts to achieve  
higher standards of music education  
in our schools.

The band directors of this state  
were thoroughly pleased as to the  
location of the first clinic and the  
Bay High Band is preparing to make  
this a pleasant and most enjoyable  
visit for the coast musicians.



HOLY NIGHT  
SILENT NIGHT  
1946  
Spirit  
of  
Christmas

### CHRISTMAS IS HERE!

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Christmas

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deeper significance, rooted in the long gone  
past, which sets it high above all other holi-  
days of the year.

● It is our hope that this blessed season  
will bring to your home not only the festive  
joys of Yuletide but that deep inner peace  
which is essentially a part of Christmas.

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# This Christmas Belongs to the Home

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At no time has Christmas belonged more definitely to the home than this year. Millions of boys have just won a great victory—a victory to preserve the homes of this nation and many other nations throughout the earth. It is fitting, therefore, that our homes be given first consideration in the gift purchases we make this Christmas. Never before has this store been so well prepared to serve you with a wide selection of beautiful home furnishings moderately priced. You will find a visit here a revelation!

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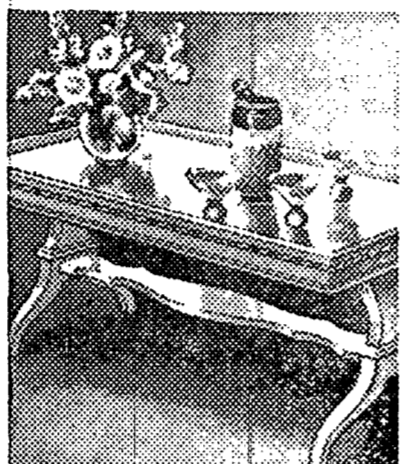
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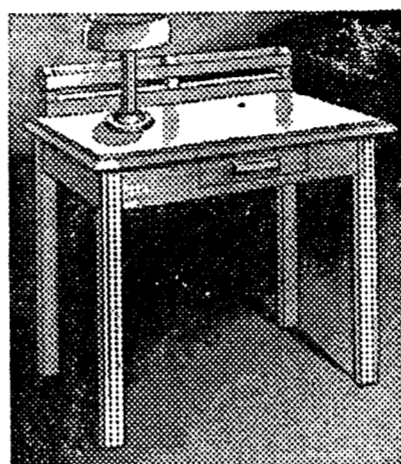
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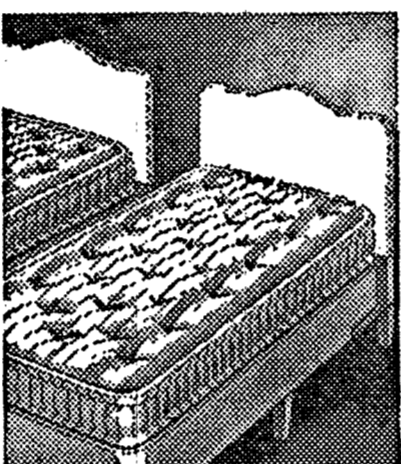
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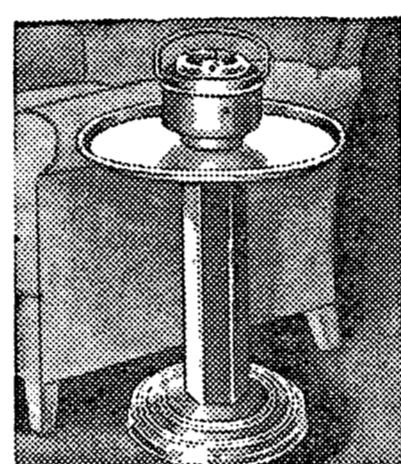
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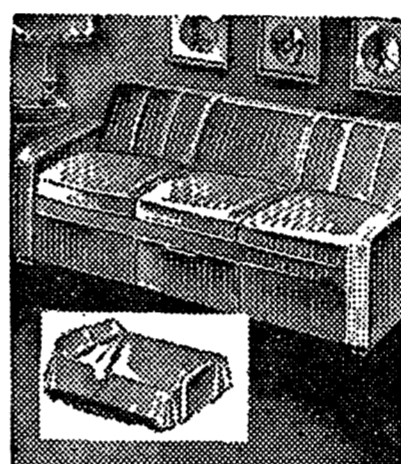
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### Programs Given in Assembly at Bay High

In the first morning assembly program held in Bay High, the juniors with Miss Blaize as their sponsor and the chorus under the direction of Mrs. Smith presented an Arbor Day program, which was opened by the master of ceremonies, Marilyn Johnston, who requested the student body to sing "America the Beautiful."

The rest of the program was as follows:  
"Trees".....Betty Courrege  
"Praise the Lord in Heaven" Chorus  
"Origin of Arbor Day" J. D. Mollere  
"Trees".....Chorus  
"Wood and the Peace".....Rod Murphy  
The program ended with the whole student body singing "America."  
"Surrender" by Betty Ruth Johnston.  
"Rumors Are Flying" by Jean Pritchard.  
"Buttermilk Sky" (by special request by Muriel Manieri.)

A welcome address was delivered by Ott Brockman and a short response was given by the Biloxi captain Buddy Burdine. Lynn Rutherford spoke in behalf of the Alumni. In assembly Wednesday, November 13, under the direction of Miss Julia Blaize the four high school classes presented a program in observance of American Education Week. The presentation of the flag followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, led by J. D. Creel, opened the program. The freshman class with Mr. Dubouison as their sponsor presented the following speeches: Betty Lusk, "Facing New Tasks"; Bill Thomas, "A Plan for Your Future"; Albert LaFontaine, "Self Confidence." The leader of the sophomore division of the program, which was based on Health and Safety, was Deibert Zingarting. The four "E's" were as follows: Education—Dolores Carver; Exercise—Helen Staciari; Examination—Sara Vaughan; Effort—Aumays. The sophomores have as their sponsor, Miss Kittrell, who directed their program. For their subject the junior class selected "Building World Security." Those participating in this part of the program were: Jean Pritchard, Jane Dubouison, Lula Mae Crawford, Helen Ramsey, Guy Curet, Barbara Buhler and Gloria Biehl. Representing the senior class, John Dupaquier spoke on "Investing in Education." After his discussion, a group of seniors sang "School Days." In conclusion the entire student body sang.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

We've Got a Great Bunch of Kids

I'd like to report that the kids in our town are the wholesomest, decent bunch you could ask for. Some folks attribute it to our Public Schools—which have programs of self-government—so the kids get used to making their own laws and living by them.

But I'd like to credit, too, a different program of "Self Regulation"—and that's the program that the Brewers and tavern keepers have—where they check up on taverns selling beer, see that they're decent and law-abiding—and work to close up all offenders.

How does that affect our Well, look at any "dry" town where local option has been back hip flasks, gangsterism, sordid booze, and juvenile delinquency.

From where I sit, the Bre program of "Self Regulation" more than an answer to local lawlessness and disrespect for authority that can have such a damaging effect on children.

Joe Marsh

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### Annual At Bay High To Be Best Yet Published

Because of the success of last year's annual and the desire expressed by the students of Bay High for an even better annual this year, the Journalism class decided to publish a much superior year book for '47. The first arranged material will be sent to the publishers by December 15. Any snapshots or pictures that would interest someone in school would be gladly accepted for consideration of printing in the year book.

The annual for this year will have stiff leather backs and will have a blue background with gold lettering.

ing: A big improvement over the annual of last year is that this one will be printed by the publishers, and that every page is to be a picture page. This will enable us to have many more pictures and a considerable amount of printed matter. A subscription for an annual will be \$2.50. Please send in subscriptions NOW.

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Sunday & Monday  
Dec. 22-23

GEORGE SANDERS  
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Cartoon—News

Tuesday, Dec. 24

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Wednesday & Thursday  
Dec. 25-26

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John Sutton  
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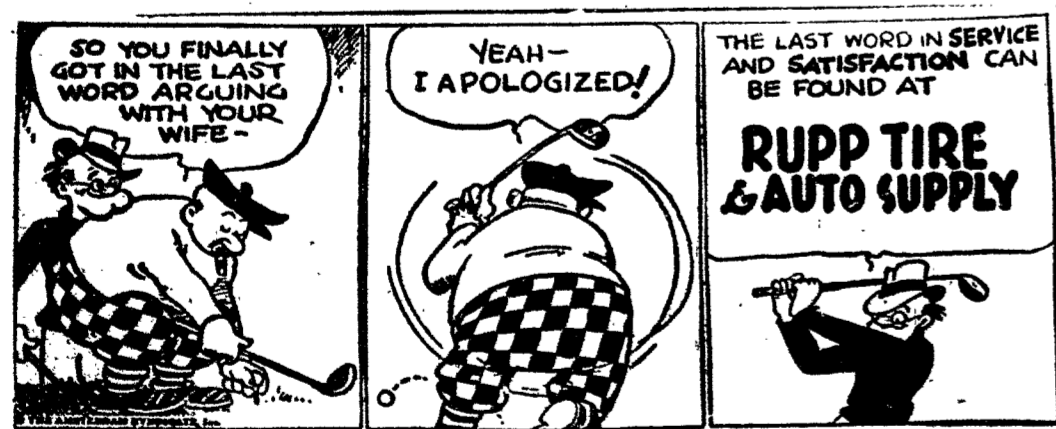
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### HOLIDAYS BRING TO CLOSE AN EVENTFUL YEAR

#### Special Coaches Reserved For Benefit of Students

The students of St. Stanislaus are once again rejoicing, awaiting the well-earned Christmas Holidays.

Everywhere this is evident by the calendars being kept. They mark impatiently the days, hours and even minutes before "shove off time."

It was officially announced in the Big Studyhall that the Christmas Holidays would commence on the morning of Saturday, December 21st. Classes will be resumed on January 7th. All boarding students must be back on the campus before six o'clock p. m. Monday, January 6th.

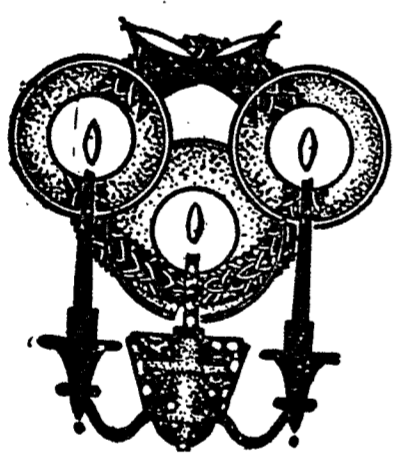
Students going towards New Orleans will leave on the 7:05 train which arrives at the L. & N. Station at the foot of Canal Street at 8:40 a. m. Those going toward Mobile, Ala., will leave at 10:17 A. M. Extra facilities will be provided on the train leaving New Orleans at 3:40 p. m. Monday, January 3th in order to facilitate the return of students from that city. "Check-in" will be after that official train arrives.

The boys have worked hard on school work for four months. The holidays will give them an opportunity to relax body and mind, with a complete change of routine which excites school.

The Rock-A-Chaw staff takes this opportunity to wish the faculty and the student body a most happy Christmas and a happier New Year.

#### To Spend Christmas at Home

Mrs. Jozie Olson is in receipt of a message from her son, S 2/c William Boardman Olson, aboard his ship on the California Coast, that he will be home to spend Christmas with her. Joining them here will be Mrs. Olson's daughters Mrs. Frank VanDevender and Mrs. Herbert Schaeffer.



Joy to you  
at YULETIDE

May this Christmas make joyous memories to keep and cherish through the years.

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### Christmas Be Merry

And may your blessings be many in the coming year and each year that follows.

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Holiday Season  
Filled With Joy  
That Will Remain  
Throughout the  
Coming Years  
Of Peace!

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### BAY HIGH CHORUS SINGS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CANTATA

In the dim silence of a candle-lit auditorium, the soft tones of the piano under Mrs. Carl Smith's nimble fingers brought forth the sounds of twenty-eight silver voices from afar. As the girls, dressed in white frocks, approached the stage they were singing "Come All Ye Faithful."

In addition to the beautiful cantata, "Chimes of the Holy Night," sung by the entire chorus, several solos were sung by the following: Gloria Biehl sang "How Beautiful Upon the Mountain," Betty Edmonds sang "Away In a Manger" and Jean Pritchard sang "The Star in the Eastern Sky." There was also a lovely duet by Retta Kimmel and Charla Russell.

In addition to the solos the following girls participated in the program: Catherine Garriga, La Nell Price, Audrey Mays, Louise Crutchfield, Mary Ann Siemens, Carrol Moran, Dolores Carver, Jean Pritchard, Jane Dubuisson, Gloria Biehl, Charla Russell, Joyce Middleton, Irene Fricke, Myrtle Cook, Daun Sellier, Claire Ramon, Betty June Moran, Audrey Ramon, Joyce Peterson, Mae Bell LeFebvre, Marie Parker, Eva Allen, Anna Jean Ladner, Ruth Carver, Lorraine Davis, Meryl Radford, Lorraine Lott, Bernadine Bourgeois, Dorothy Jean Rogers, Betty Lusk, Helen Coleman, Gay Curet, Georgetowne, Bernice Eley, Joyce Asher, Sara Vaughan, Betty Lou Edmonds, Retta Kimmel.



Those who give themselves grow richer.

The kindly word, the spontaneous smile, the thoughtful deed — those are outward expressions of the goodness inside the hearts and minds of men.

Those of us in the newspaper business must record the little things that make news day by day. Often we wish there were less of pettiness in the world and more of the spirit of Christmas scattered throughout the year. But the day that marks the birth of Jesus brings with it a rebirth of faith and hope and a realization that deep down inside each person there are Christ-like qualities of unselfishness, loyalty and devotion to the highest principles of God and man. It is those qualities which make Christmas the most joyous season of all.

Truly, there is "joy to the world" in abundant evidence of self-giving, of hands clasped in friendship, of hearty good wishes. How insignificant are the little, troublesome things of the world in the light of the Christmas spirit that pervades the world!

And so we again join in the gladness of the season to wish all our friends and subscribers

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

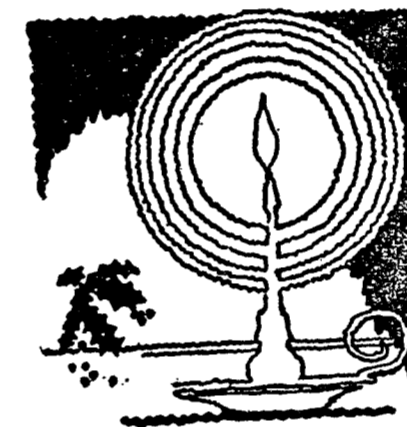
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### Hunting the Wren In Old Ireland

Once upon a time in Ireland, the wren was hunted and killed on Christmas morning: a branch of holly and bright ribbons were attached to his body which was carried from house to house by wren boys who sang songs and expected to receive a dole from each household.

The story goes that during the Danish-Irish war, the Danes were resting after an arduous march and the Irish were creeping up quietly. All of a sudden a wren, spying a few crumbs which the drowsy Danish drummer had dropped on the drumhead, swooped down and began to peck at the crumbs. The pecking awakened the boy, who aroused the camp: the Irish, driven off and defeated, blamed the wren.

Modern Irish, ashamed of the once-honored tradition, say the guilty bird may have been a starling or a sparrow anyway, and now welcome the wren to their farms and homes.

### Pass Christian Invites Bay High to Homecoming

The Pass High Pirates in their homecoming game met the Bay High Tigers in a thrilling match. This game was the last of the season for both teams.

Several days before the game Bay High was notified that the Bay High football teams, the band, cheerleaders, Juniors and Seniors were invited to the annual Pass High Homecoming dance. The event proved to be a most enjoyable affair. The guests from Bay High were entertained with music and dancing. Delicious refreshments were served to the teams. Several alumni of Pass High made short speeches and sang their Alma Mater with every student of Pass High joining in.

Bay High wishes to extend its wholehearted thanks to Pass High for a wonderful evening.

### Coach Scafidi Presents Boxing Awards for 1945-46

In special assembly on the morning of November 27, Bay High's gallant boxing team of 1945-1946 received its delayed awards. The awards, gold boxing gloves on the clasps, were awarded them by their coach August Scafidi. Those who received the awards were: Manuel Poyadou, Joe Capdepon, Odell Saucier, Pierre Quintini, L. G. Tanguis, Jimmie McArthur, Norman Green, Teddy Morel, Rudy Morel, Truman Schultz, Curtis Colson, and Martin Noto.

### Rock Cagers Lose Thriller

In a game scheduled at the last minute with D'Iberville, the Stanislaus cagers were barely beaten 32-30 in the last minutes of the game. For the Rock-A-Chaw staff, Ferrier, Mogabgab and O'Donohue were high scorers with 7 points each. The locals meet Woolmarket here December 17.

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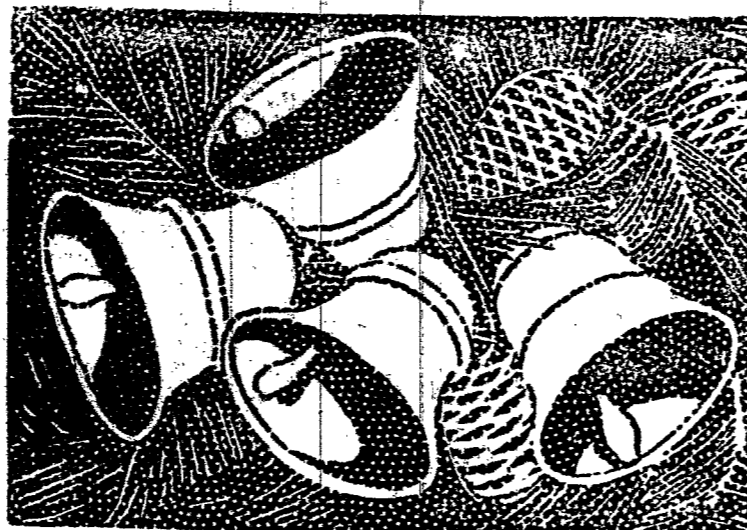
### Peace on Earth

May the full significance of Christmas  
Gladden Your Hearts and Give you  
Peace of Mind and Spirit

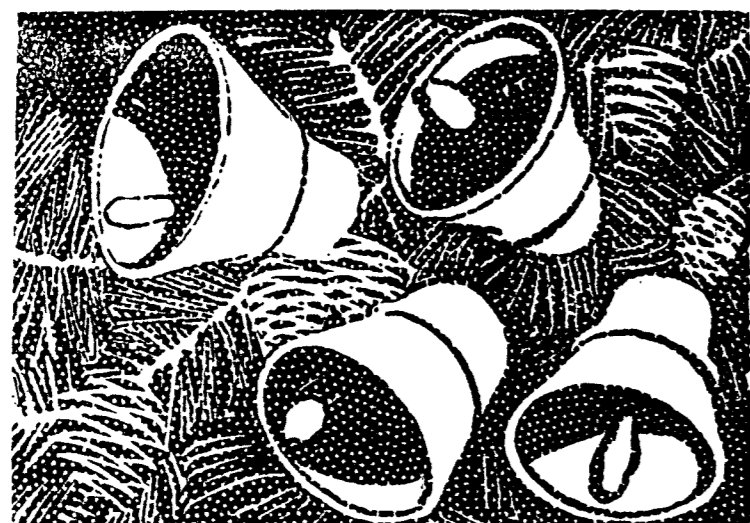
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# Christmas Sheet



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## Order Eastern Star Chapter Elects Officers

The Bay Chapter No. 129, Order Eastern Star, have elected at the meeting held Thursday, December 12 the following officers or 1947 Miss

Barbara Sick, reelected worthy matron; George E. Schilling, worthy patron; Mrs. Valda Boyd, secretary; Mrs. J. A. Evans, associate patron; Mrs. Valda Boyd, secretary; E. S. Drake, treasurer; Mrs. Mildred Ramond conductress; Mrs. Nora Bosarge, associate conductress.

## COOPERATION MAKES CHRISTMAS TREE YEARLY SUCCESS

(Armand Gutierrez)

Amidst the happy rush and bustle of Yuletide, it is encouraging to know that so many have paused in order to generously contribute to the Christmas Tree Fund. America's love of children has not grown cold. Unfortunately tots will always hold a spot in the hearts of everyone.

This laudible practice has become a time established custom not only for St. Stanislaus, but also for the generous people of Bay St. Louis. The underprivileged children of this section look forward eagerly to this occasion. For them, it means the only Christmas gifts which they will receive. Seeing the pleasure which such children experience on the reception of toys, candy and fruit is sufficient reward for those who have made it possible.

This is the true Christmas spirit in practice. One of the greatest gifts to be received is the satisfaction which is experienced as a result of making others happy. Donations were many and generous. The success of the party is assured. May God bless all those who have brought it about.

The annual Flea-Fly classic was the principal factor in the realization of the fund. The attendance at that game was one of the largest of the season. Many persons purchased more tickets than were necessary for admittance.

## Mrs. Inez Emuy Vazquez Dies at New Orleans

Mr. Horace Farr is receiving the sympathy of his friends in the death of his mother Mrs. Inez Emuy Vazquez who died at her home in New Orleans on Monday, December 9 at 10:45 p. m. Mrs. Vazquez was a summer resident of Bay St. Louis for many years but because of her failing health she has not been coming here for the summer recently.

Besides her husband Mr. Manuel Vazquez of New Orleans, two sons Horace Farr of this city and Herman Farr of New Orleans, a daughter, Mrs. Lillian Labat of New Orleans. Her funeral was held in New Orleans on Wednesday, December 11 with a requiem Mass at the Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic church. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery.

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An established going concern—known as Bertucci's Bar, located at 308 Ullman Avenue, a 2-story bldg. with bar complete. 2 rooms down stairs and 4 rooms and bath upstairs with all conveniences. Also warehouse, garage and wash room. Lot 100 x 85. Price \$11,000.00.  
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## LAKESHORE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher of New Orleans were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Albright.

Mrs. Mená Gutierrez of Biloxi spent the past week visiting in the home of her nephew, Mr. Jesse LaFontaine and family.

Mr. Doc Thigpen Miss May Colson and Mrs. Jeanne Williams attended the Hancock County Teachers' meeting last Saturday in Bay St. Louis.

The Gulfview School will close Friday for the Christmas holidays. On Thursday the teachers and pupils will be served a Christmas dinner in the lunch room. The dinner will consist of turkey, giblet dressing, gravy and all the fixings which usually comprise a Christmas dinner. The dinner is being prepared by Mrs. May Courge Green who is in charge of the lunchroom. Each class room has a Christmas tree, decorated and waiting for Santa's visit. Everything is being done to make the season a happy one for the little folks.



Christmas  
is here!

## Peace and Good Will

Lighting the way to better fellowship and good will towards all is Christmas. That it may be a truly happy Christmas for each of you is our ardent wish.

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## Greatest Stamps Of Entire World

Officials estimate at least 100,000 lives are saved each year—in America alone—by funds made available by the annual Christmas Seal campaign against tuberculosis.

In 1909, a Danish postal clerk—Einar Holboell, by name—conceived the idea of a voluntary tax on Christmas greeting cards which would benefit the underprivileged. Specifically, Holboell visualized establishment of a fund to build a hospital for tubercular children. The ministry granted Holboell permission to sell his seals at post offices and the Christmas Seal campaign was launched. In many countries, the seal campaign is conducted largely in co-operation with postal authorities and, in some instances, the seals are parts of special postage stamps.



The American Red Cross became interested in the project in 1907 and co-operated with the National Tuberculosis association. To strengthen the nation-wide campaign, the Red Cross and the Tuberculosis association jointly conducted the sale of the seals and, until 1919, the emblem of the Red Cross appeared on the seal.

In 1919, the double-barred cross, international emblem and trademark of the warfare against tuberculosis, was embodied in the design of the seal. In 1920, the Red Cross wished to devote its energies to the annual Roll Call and arrangements were made whereby the sale of the tuberculosis Christmas Seal is conducted exclusively by the Tuberculosis association.

## Mexico Did Away With Santa Claus

In 1930 the authorities in Mexico decided to abolish Santa Claus during the Christmas festival as they considered him out of place in a country where snow is seldom seen. The well-known bearded figure was ousted by Quetzalcoatl, the Indian god, half bird, half snake, who was worshipped by the Aztecs before the Spanish invasion.

In its new Christmas program, the southern country has made a feature of the distribution of presents to thousands of needy children by the plumed serpent, and every year this big-scale present-giving takes place on December 23.



Christmas is the one great event that transcends the bounds of any one country and embraces the whole world. In much the same way there is no limit or bounds to our good wishes for you for a Merry Christmas.

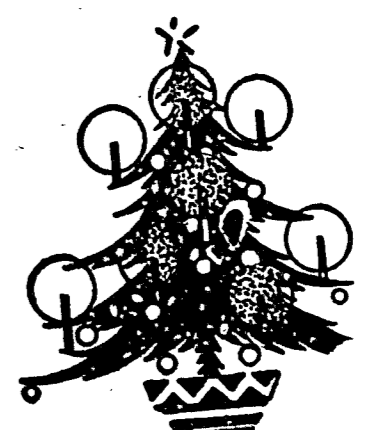
## Five Point Grocery

## Father of Miss Lois May Dangerously Ill

Miss Annie Lois May, Home Demonstration Agent of Hancock County, is, and immediately upon arrival here was contacted by her folks in Newton.

because of his serious illness. Miss May left Jackson last Thursday afternoon after attending the Extension Service Annual meeting at Newton last Thursday night.

## A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS



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## The Sea Coast Echo

### City Echoes

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rugan, Jr., spent last Sunday here as guests of friends.

—Little Carl Thibaux celebrated his 9th birthday last week. He entertained his class at school for the event.

—Frances (Jerry) Poolson a student at Perkinson College spent last week end with his parents.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ward have had as their guests last week end Mr. A. Creel, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Mignacca and son Benny of New Orleans.

—Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Johnson announce the birth of a daughter at Touro Infirmary on Thursday, December 12. Congratulations are extended to the young couple on the birth of their first child.

—We are glad to chronicle the improvement of Mrs. W. A. McDonald who is able to be up and out of her room.

—Mrs. Wilmer Thibaux, has been at Baptist Hospital since Monday, undergoing a complete physical check-up. Mrs. Thibaux has been discharged and is back home, with the assurance of her doctor's, that all is well.

—G. F. (Pat) Rooney is ill at his home as a result of the flu. It is hoped that he will soon be up and out again. Mr. Rooney is band director at Bay High.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Carter will leave Saturday for New Orleans where they will be registered at the Roosevelt Hotel for the Christmas and New Year season.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dominy little daughter Molly, of Baltimore, Maryland, are spending the Christmas holidays here with Mrs. Dominy's parents Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab. They will be joined here by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab, Jr. and baby from Baton Rouge.



Mrs. Thomas Sciortina, Jr., the former Miss Reba Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bennett. Her marriage to Mr. Thomas Sciortina, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sciortina, Sr., was quietly celebrated in New Orleans on November 26. The young couple are at home with the groom's parents on Court Street.

## Waveland News

Waveland school will close for the Christmas holidays on Friday, December 21st and reopen on Monday, January 6th.

We are glad to report that Little Miss Lioah Price who was on the sick list is able to return to school.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Medier spent the week at their home on Beach Boulevard. Mr. Medier enjoyed the fishing.

Miss Edna Blanchard had as her week end guests her niece Miss Elvie Blanchard of Baton Rouge and her nephew Mr. George Blanchard, Jr. of Lott, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stieffel and family are moving into their new home which has just been completed on the beach.

Mrs. Pearl Floyd had as her guest for a week her grandson Jason Floyd of Senatobia Miss. Mrs. Floyd accompanied Jason home at the end of his visit.

Richard Noonan celebrated his eleventh birthday on Saturday.

We are glad to see Miss Bernice Bourgeois who has been ill is well enough to be out again.

Mrs. C. K. Herlihy and little daughter Mary Lou, went to New Orleans to see Santa Mary Lou was all excited as this was her first visit to Santa Claus.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Mauffray and sons Johnny and Howard spent a few days in New Orleans as the guests of Mrs. Mauffray's brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Liddell Caffery.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ciane and daughter were over for the week end.

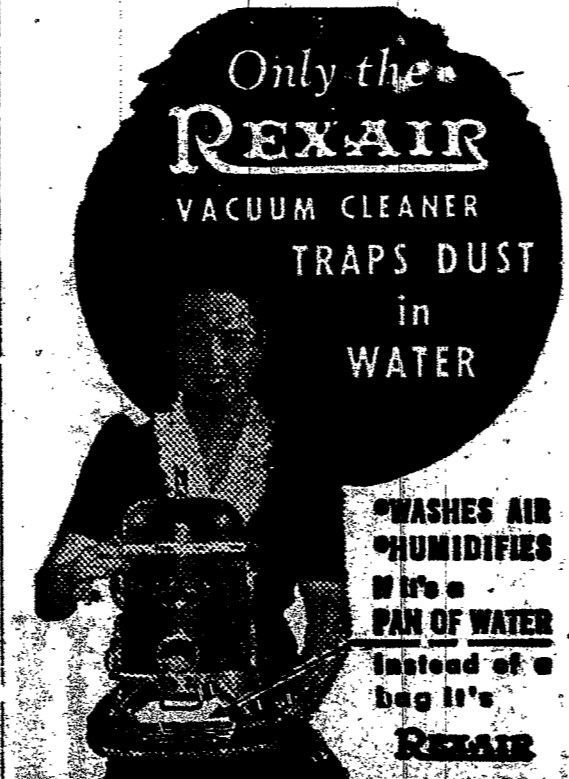
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Noonan are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, who was born at the Kings Daughters Hospital on Saturday, November 30th. The young lady will be called Barbara Eileen. Mr. and Mrs. Noonan now have three girls and two boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Noonan have as their guest for several weeks Mrs. Noonan's mother, Mrs. Fred Schubert of St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sterken spent the week end at their cottage.

Miss Margie Bordages spent the week end with her father Mr. Alcide Bordages.

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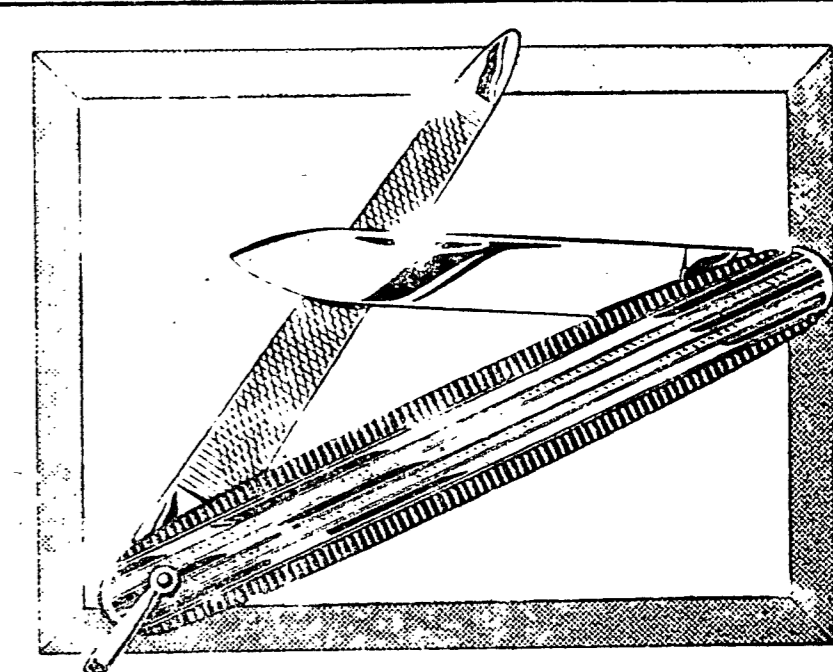
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